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LUETGERT JURY IN.

Couldn't Agree on a Verdict, Either for or Against

THE BIG SAUSAGE MAKER,

And Chicago's Most Famous Murder Case Since the Dr. Cronin Trial Must Be Given a New Hearing—How the Jury Stood.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 21.—Special.—**The jury in the famous Luetgert murder case has returned without a verdict either for or against the big sausage maker who is charged with having murdered his wife. Judge Tuthill had announced that he would not let the jury off with a disagreement before Saturday afternoon or night, but the one juror, Harley, who alone held for acquittal, could not be shaken from his first decision against conviction, and there being absolutely no prospects for a verdict being reached by the twelve men, their report of disagreement was received and they were discharged.**

THE JURY AT WORK.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—A somewhat sensational feature of the deliberations of the Luetgert jury was their asking Judge Tuthill if 11 of them could compel the twelfth man to sign a verdict, or if a verdict signed by 11 jurors would be valid. They were very much wrought up when informed that neither proposition would stand in law.

This remarkable incident led to a disclosure of the fact that 10 of the jurors favored conviction, while Jurors Holabird and Harley were for acquittal. The former, however, was ready to vote for conviction if all others did, but Harley declared that he would agree to nothing but acquittal.

The feeling among the jurors who were in favor of the death penalty was high against Harley, and they done some very plain talking to him, even going so far as to threaten him with prosecution for perjury.

When this fact became known there was very little thought of anything but a disagreement. It was the general opinion that Harley would prove firm to the end and that he might keep Holabird with him.

The counsel for the defense stuck to their assertion of a coming acquittal, but Attorney Phalen said "disagreement" as often as he said "acquittal." The state looked for a disagreement, having small hope that Harley would agree to a conviction, and certainly not to the death penalty.

The state's attorney was, however, confident that the jury would be with him to the extent of 10 to two or 11 to one. "I will have 10 of them I feel sure," he said, "although it is possible that I may have only nine—but nine will be for the state without the slightest doubt. If a disagreement is the result of the trial the case will be tried again as soon as possible."

Mr. Deneen is a hard fighter and he smiled grimly when asked if he intended to try the case again. He said very emphatically that he did, and declared a conviction would result. He said by that time Mrs. Luetgert would have a chance to return, but that she would not return and no doubt would remain that she is dead.

Killed His Family and Himself.

Blue Earth City, Minn., Oct. 21.—George Young, a farmer residing two miles south of this city, shot and killed his wife, his two boys, aged 2 and 4, and himself. All died instantly and were found weltering in blood when the hired man, the only other person on the place, came in. Business and domestic troubles form the only explanation for the deed.

Burial of Charles A. Dana.

New York, Oct. 21.—The funeral service over the remains of Charles A. Dana took place in St. Paul's Episcopal church at Glencove, L. I. Among the pallbearers were Justice Willard Bartlett, Congressman Franklin Bartlett, General James H. Wilson, Professor Charles S. Sargent of Harvard, Charles Dana and General Benjamin F. Tracy.

Steamer Cambria Ashore.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 21.—The steel steamer Cambria, owned by Senator Hanna, bound from Escanaba to Fairport, O., with 3,000 tons of iron ore, went ashore during thick weather above the Corsica shoals lightship. She lies easy on sandy bottom. The Cambria is valued at $160,000. Boat and cargo fully insured.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $210,598,920; gold reserve, $150,164,212.

Stage Coach Robbed.

Uniontown, Wash., Oct. 21.—The stage running between Lewiston and Uniontown was held up by masked men and the United States mails and the express box were rifled

LYNCHING PREVENTED

By the Hurried Removal of a Murderer In Kansas.

Manhattan, Kan., Oct. 21.—A crowd of excited citizens thronged the streets here in the vicinity of the county jail, threatening summary vengeance upon Ike Warren, the murderer of Sheriff Ward, who was indicted at Leonardsville, a village 10 miles west of Manhattan.

Warren, who had been arrested by the sheriff, shot the latter, killing him and attempted to escape. His flight was stopped by Banker Sharks of Leonardsville, who sent a bullet into the neck of Warren. A summary lynching was prevented only by the hurried removal of the prisoner to Manhattan.

Garfield's Father-in-Law Dead.

Mentor, O., Oct. 21.—Zeb Rudolph, the father of Mrs. James A. Garfield, the widow of the late president, died at Lawnfield, the Garfield home, of old age. The deceased was 94 years of age, and had been in feeble health for some time. Two children, besides Mrs. Garfield, survive him. They are Mrs. Camden Rockwell of New York and Captain Joseph Rudolph, who lives here.

Time of Funeral Fixed.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The funeral of the late George M. Pullman will take place at Graceland cemetery Saturday at 2 p. m. The officers of the Pullman company will be closed on the day of the funeral, and the shops at Pullman will pay like tribute to the dead.

All Previous Records Broken.

New Orleans, Oct. 21.—All previous records as to the number of new cases of yellow fever were broken. Early in the evening 53 new cases had been entered in the books of health board. At the same time htre had been six deaths.

Patchen Breaks a Record.

Joliet, Ills., Oct. 21.—Joe Patchen broke the world's wagon record of 2:08½ by pacing a mile in 2:04¾. In trying to break the high wheel record of 2:06½ he made the mile in 2:06¾.

Does He Get Her Money?

Zanesfield, O., Oct. 21.—George Pellet, 76, and Mrs. Elizabeth Fawcett, 78, were united in marriage here. The bride is the wealthiest person in the county.

The Flour Output.

Minneapolis, Oct. 21.—The Northwestern Miller gives the flour output last week at Minneapolis, Duluth, Superior and Milwaukee at 425,11 barrels.

An Explosion of Gas.

Columbus, O., Oct. 21.—Matron Armstrong of the female department of the penitentiary was seriously burned by a gas explosion.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Oct 20.

New York.

Beef—Family, $9 00@10 00, extra mess, $7 50; packed, $8 50@9 00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 6¾@8c; pickled shoulders, 5¾c; pickled hams, 8¾@8⅞c. Lard—Western steam, $4 70@4 75. Pork—Old mess, $9 00@10 25.

Butter—Western dairy, 12@19c; creamery, 14@22c; do factory, 9@13c. Cheese—State large, 8¼@9¼c; small, 9@9¼c; part skims, 6¼@7c; full skims, 3¼@4c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 17@19c; western fresh, 16c.

Wheat—99¼c. Corn—31¼c. Oats—22¾@22¾c. Rye—48c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Choice, $4 85@5 00; good, $4 65@4 80; tidy butchers, $4 35@4 55; fair, $4 10@4 30; common, $3 25@3 75; heifers, $3 50@4 25; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 60; fresh cows, $20@45.

Hogs—Yorkers, $4 10@4 15; mediums, $3 20@4 25; fair, $4 00@4 10; grassers, $4 20@4 30; heavy, $4 05@4 15; rough, $2 75@3 50; pigs, $4 00@4 10.

Sheep—Choice, $4 20@4 30; good, $4 10@4 20; fair, $3 65@4 00; common, $2 75@3 35; choice lambs, $5 30@5 50.

Chicago.

Cattle—Breves, $3 90@5 30; cows and heifers, $2 00@4 60; Texas steers, $2 70@3 75; westerns, $3 25@4 40; stockers and feeders, $2 80@4 45.

Hogs—Light, $3 55@4 00; medium, $3 60@4 00; heavy, $3 60@3 95; roughs, $3 35@3 65.

Sheep and lambs—Choice sheep, $4 25@4 50; common, $2 90@3 40; choice lambs, $4 75@5 50; exports, $3 00@3 30.

Wheat—90½c. Corn—24¾c. Oats—18c. Rye—45¼c

Buffalo.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 40@4 65; shipping, $4 65@4 85; best steers, $5 00@5 25; good, cows and heifers, $2 75@4 25; stockers and feeders, $3 20@4 30; best, $3 25@4 25.

Hogs—Yorkers, $4 15@4 17; roughs, common to good, $3 50@3 80; mediums and heavies, $4 10@4 15; pigs, $4 00@4 10.

Sheep and lambs—Extras, $3 95; good prime, $5 60@5 75; common, $2 75@5 65; choice lambs, $5 60@5 75.

Cleveland.

Hogs—Yorkers and lights, $4 05; mediums and heavies, $4 00; stags and roughs, $3 00@3 50.

Sheep and lambs—Sheep, $2 00@3 50; lambs, $4 00@5 35.

Cattle—Steers, $3 75@4 50; heifers, $3 25@4 00; cows and bulls, $2 00@3 25.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 92c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 25½@25¾c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 20@20½c. Rye—46c.

Lard—$4 25. Bulk meats—$4 80. Bacon—$5 45.

Hogs—$3 00@4 00. Cattle—$2 25@5 10. Sheep $2 50@4 00.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22@23c. Eggs—Fresh, 16@16½c.

Toledo.

Wheat—93½c. Corn—24½c. Clover Seed—$3 40.

HE WORKED TOO LONG.

A Utah Mine Owner In Rather Serious Trouble.

EMPLOYES GET AFTER HIM.

Upon Conviction He Tried to Escape Punishment by Habeas Corpus Proceeding and the Case Is Still In Court.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The case of Albert P. Holden, plaintiff in error, versus Harvey Hardy, sheriff of Salt Lake county, Utah, which involves the constitutionality of the Utah 8-hour law for miners engaged in underground mines was argued in the United States supreme court.

The case came from the supreme court of Utah. Holden was convicted for employing William Anderson, a miner, for 10 hours a day, and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and serve 57 days in jail.

Upon conviction he filed a petition in the supreme court of Utah for a writ of habeas corpus, which the court denied, whereupon it was brought to the United States supreme court on assignment of errors that the Utah supreme court erred in holding the law constitutional.

GOD OR OTHERWISE.

Spiritualists Believe In an Indwelling Energy.

Washington, Oct. 21.—A vigorous protest against the sale of charms by alleged mediums was made at the meeting of the National Association of Spiritualists of the United States and Canada. The discussion was sprung by a Baltimore delegate's denunciation of an individual in that city who was making a practice of selling love charms and similar devices at $2 a head. The delegate called for some action on the matter and the discussion became general. The upshot was the appointment of a special committee to consider the subject.

The statement of principles presented by the resolutions committee and adopted by the convention declared a belief "in an indwelling energy in the universe, whether it be known as God or otherwise;" that the universe is a unity without beginning or end; affirmed that man is a spirit representing the highest expression of life; that the spirit rises from the body and lives the same life in another realm; deplored and denounced the unequal distribution of wealth and government by injunction; opposed all Sunday laws on the idea that it is God's holy day; demanded the taxation of all church property; discountenanced the use of tobacco, opium, liquor and like substances, and opposed the engrafting of the word "god" in the constitution.

A New Trial Ordered.

Washington, Oct. 21.—In the supreme court the assistant attorney general for the government confessed error in the case of Mary A. Kittering et al. versus the United States, which came up from the circuit court for the Western district of Arkansas. Mrs. Kittering was convicted for the murdering of her husband largely upon the confession of one Washington, one of the alleged accomplices, made to a Chicago detective. As the confession was not made in the presence of the other defendants Assistant Attorney General Boyd confessed that it was palpable error, and the supreme court ordered the case remanded to the lower court for a new trial.

Trying to Escape the Penalty.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The case of Richard S. Williams, plaintiff in error, versus the United States, from the Northern district of California, was argued in the supreme court. Williams was Chinese inspector at San Francisco, and was convicted and sentenced to three years' imprisonment at San Quentin and to pay a fine of $3,000 for extorting $100 from Wong Sam for the landing of Wong Lin Choy.

The Pope's Desire.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Definite details became available concerning the cablegram sent by Cardinal Rampolla, secretary of state, expressing the desires of Pope Leo concerning the case of Dr. Schroeder, professor of dogmatic theology at the Catholic university. The pope desires that no change be made in the status of Dr. Schroeder as professor of the university at the present time.

Entered Upon His Duties.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Special Commissioner Kasson, who was appointed to deal with negotiations relative to reciprocity agreements under the new tariff act, has entered upon the actual work with which he is charged, beginning with efforts to prepare an acceptable agreement in the case of France.

A Hitch Smoothed Over.

Washington, Oct. 21.—There has been another hitch in the execution of the law relative to the establishment of the deep water harbor at San Pedro, Cal., but the way has again been smoothed over and the work will proceed as soon as contractors can be found to assume the responsibility.

GOOD SHOWING.

Financially the American Missionary Association Is a Success.

Minneapolis, Oct. 21.—H. W. Hubbard of New York, treasurer of the American Missionary association, reported receipts of $329,440 and expenditures of $317,812, leaving a credit balance of $11,627.

Secretary A. F. Beard, D. D., of New York said the common schools had led 4,000,000 negroes out of the ranks of illiteracy, and that 1,250,000 negro children are now in the schools.

He declared that the negroes in the state of Georgia alone pay taxes on $20,000,000 of property, and own in that state above 8[illegible],000 acres of land. What is true of that state is immeasureably true of other states. He had never seen the estimate controverted that the negro people now own $264,000,000 of property.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL.

Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society In Session.

Baltimore, Oct. 21.—The sixteenth annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church is in session here.

Mrs. R. S. Rust of Cincinnati, corresponding secretary, said the society had raised $2,500,000 in 17 years, that it had sent $1,450,000 out to the various branches of its work in cash and that it had sent $750,000 worth of supplies to poor ministers.

The treasurer, Mrs. D. L. Williams of Delaware, O., reported receipts of $132,827.59 and expenditures of $127,969.32, leaving a credit balance of $4,858.27.

After the Scalpers.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.—The American Association of General Passenger Agents have adopted resolutions calling attention to the necessity for state and national legislation against the ticket scalping evil. State legislatures that have not already done so are urged to adopt laws confining the sale of tickets to the properly authorized agents of the transportation companies, and, at the same time, that will require, under suitable penalties, the redemption of every ticket or part of ticket that may be not used. Congress is also requested to pass the so-called "anti-scalping" bill.

Birmingham Is the Capital Now.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 21.—Owing to the prevalence of yellow fever in Montgomery and the fact that all of the towns and cities of the state have quarantined against that place, the state government has temporarily been removed to Birmingham. The governor and all the state officers have located here and are transacting business from this point.

Almost a Failure.

New York, Oct. 21.—Not since 1892 has the potato crop of the United States proved so nearly a failure. County and township returns from all the leading potato growing states show the yield of potatoes to be 174,000,000 bushels, against 245,000,000 in 1896, 286,000,000 in 1895, 185,000,000 in 1894, and only 155,000,000 in the short crop of 1892.

Came From Canada.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—The Earl of Aberdeen, governor general of Canada, the Countess of Aberdeen, Lady Marjorie Gordon, their daughter, and Lieutenant Keane, Royal navy, arrived here in a private car from the maritime provinces and are on their way to Princeton college, where the degree of LL. D. is to be conferred on Lord Aberdeen.

From Harrison to Sheehan.

New York, Oct. 21.—John C. Sheehan, the Tammany hall leader, received the following dispatch from Mayor Harrison of Chicago: "Will be with you Oct. 28, accompanied by a large delegation of Cook county Democrats."

Good Prices For Horses.

New York, Oct. 21.—The sale of carriage horses and hackneys, the property of H. O. P. Belmont, took place at the American Horse Exchange. The sale was well attended. Some of the prices paid were large.

Going Home to Vote.

Washington, Oct. 21.—Secretary Sherman has arranged to start for his home at Mansfield, O., Saturday week, or the day after the president leaves Washington. He will vote at Mansfield.

Football Scores.

At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania, 24; State College, 0.

At Cambridge—Harvard, 24; Newton Athletic association, 0.

At Princeton—Princeton, 54; Franklin and Marshal, 0.

At Baltimore—Haverford College, 10; Johns Hopkin University, 0.

At New Haven—Yale, 18; Brown, 14.

At Bethlehem, Pa.—Lehigh, 5; Dickinson, 0.

Turf Winners.

At Latonia—Canan Doyle, Grayling, Orimar, Charlotta, George R. Cox, Ransom.

At Windsor—Gasperone, Bouquet, Negoncie, Skillman, Frank Jaubert.

At Louisville—Satin Slippers, Alves, Joe Bailey.

At Fleetwood—Glenmere Boy, Golden Boy, Clayton, Blue Wilkes.

At Joliet—Toxie R., Katie S.

The Weather.

For West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana—Generally fair, with light north to west winds

ENGLAND HAS REPLIED

That She Will Not Reopen the Mints of India.

THE ACTION IS REGRETTED.

Lord Salisbury Adds That Under the Circumstances He Does Not See Desirability of International Conference.

London, Oct. 21.—Salisbury has sent to Ambassador Hay the reply of the British government to the proposals of the American bimetallic special committee, headed by Senator Wolcott.

His lordship says the government of Great Britain is not able to reopen the India mints at present.

He regrets the inability to accede to the proposals of the American commissioners. Great Britain having as great an interest as the United States and France in securing a stable par exchange for gold and silver and an enlarged use for silver.

In these circumstances, continues Lord Salisbury, the British government does not see the desirability of an international monetary conference, but will be pleased to consider any other practical suggestions from the United States.

Lord Salisbury incloses with the note a copy of the statement of Sir J. Westland, head of the financial department of India, which was under discussion at the meeting of the cabinet council last Saturday and which takes strong grounds against the reopening of the India mints.

Not In Good Fighting Trim.

Mare Island, Cal., Oct. 21.—The United States steamer Baltimore left the navy yard at 10 a. m., en route to Honolulu, but came to anchor three-quarters of a mile south of Mare Island lighthouse on account of the blowing out of a manhole plate of one of the forward boilers, flooding the whole fire room with hot water and making it necessary to haul fire under the forward boiler.

French Garrison Attacked.

Paris, Oct. 21.—An official dispatch received here from General Gallieni, the French commander-in-chief in Madagascar, announces that a strong band of Sakalavas has attacked a French post, which was recently established at a point on the Tsirhibina river in western Madagascar, killing many of the garrison, including three officers.

An Official Announcement.

Berlin, Oct. 21.—It is officially announced that Baron Marschall von Bieberstein is going to Constantinople to replace Baron Saurma von Jeltsch, who is going to represent Germany at Rome in succession to Baron von Buelow. Baron Marschall, however, retains the title and rank of minister of state.

Looking to America.

London, Oct. 21.—The Amalgamated Society of Engineers prepared a manifesto which is to be sent to the American newspapers and labor organizations, appealing for money in order to enable their society to keep the striking engineers from giving in to their employers.

An American Decorated.

Brussels, Oct. 21.—Among the honors conferred by King Leopold in connection with the Brussels International exposition is the bestowal of a decoration upon the representative of the United States, Commisioner Gore, who has been a commander of the Order of Leopold.

General Porter's Denial.

Paris, Oct. 21.—General Horace Porter, the United States ambassador to France, denied the accuracy of a report cabled here from New York that he may succeed the late George M. Pullman as president of the Pullman Palace Car company.

Visiting the Iron Chancellor.

Berlin, Oct. 21.—Lord Rosebery, the former premier and leader of the Liberal party of Great Britain, in company with Count Herbert Bismarck, is visiting the former chancellor, Prince Bismarck, at Friedrichsruhe.

They Saw the Kaiser.

Darmstadt, Germany, Oct. 21.—The czar and Grand Duke of Hesse returned here from Weisbaden, where they visited Emperor William of Germany. The latter will return their visit here.

Colonies to Be Defended.

London, Oct. 21.—In connection with the increase in the strength of the British army, the defense of the colonies of Great Britain is receiving unusual attention.

Killed In a Runaway.

Lorain, O., Oct. 21.—John Korns was killed in a runaway caused by his wagon overturning while rounding a corner.

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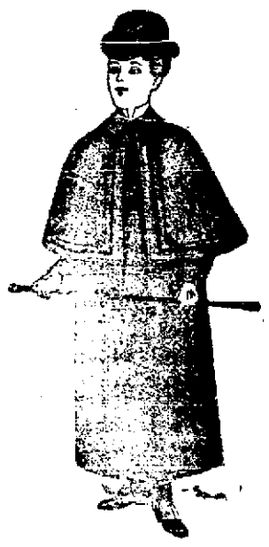

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KINGS OF THE CUE.

A CONTEST FOR THE WORLD'S BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP.

Ives, Schaefer and Slosson Are to Contest—The Eighteen Inch Balk Line the Style of Play Stipulated—Tournament to Be Held in New York.

The world's most expert billiard players are to contest for the championship within two months, and the battle will be fought in New York city. Frank C. Ives, the champion; Jacob Schaefer, the wizard, and George Slosson, the student, are to meet again in the game of delicate stroke and wonderful skill. It is not improbable Maurice Daly will also shy his cue into the game, and the contest is open to any one desirous of matching masses, draws and spreads with the artists mentioned.

The question of a tournament has been discussed for many weeks, but it failed to crystallize till recently, when

FRANK C. IVES.
GEORGE SLOSSON. JACOB SCHAEFER.

a large billiard company offered a purse of $1,250 for a sweepstakes tournament for the championship of the world.

Eighteen inch balk line is the style of play stipulated, and the tournament will take place in New York the latter part of November or the first of December.

The net gate receipts in addition to the purse, will be divided on the basis of 50, 30 and 20 per cent.

A championship trophy will be presented by the company.

While many of the details are yet to be arranged, the fact of a tournament is assured, and New York lovers of the game will see the masters of the cue again in competition.

Frank Ives stated he was anxious to enter a tournament and unless one was arranged soon he would go back to Europe. Therefore the champion's entry is certain.

There is small doubt of Jacob Schaefer taking the opportunity for another brush with the Napoleon.

George Slosson was knocking the balls about in his rooms in New York when a reporter asked him if he would enter.

"Certainly," was his reply. "Count me in sure. I have recently returned from the country and am out of practice, but I'll try to get in trim. I'm glad to see a tournament arranged."

Maurice Daly said he could not say whether he would enter until he learned the full details. He might possibly take a chance. He also was pleased with the idea of a tournament.

In addition to the tournament in New York a purse would also be offered for a handicap tournament for the short stops, to take place in Chicago after the New York event.

Ed McLaughlin, now in charge of the Hoffman House room, said he would enter the latter.

Admirers of billiards were very enthusiastic over the prospect of a great contest.—New York Journal.

INDIANS MAY COLONIZE.

Their Intention Is to Arrange an Independent State in Mexico.

The colonization of all the full bloods and a large portion of half breeds and other citizens of the Indian Territory in old Mexico or South America is no iridescent dream.

The leading men in the move recently said that the understanding between the Creeks, Choctaws and Cherokees—that is, the full bloods—was complete, and that the Chickasaws and Seminoles would be consulted soon on the matter.

"Communication is quietly going on between our people and the Mexican government at present, with flattering prospects," said one of them. "Our intention is to arrange to have an independent state in that republic—an Indian state, in other words. Now, this all depends on what action congress will pursue toward our people. If that body forces us into a territorial government under United States laws altogether and sets aside our self government, guaranteed to us by solemn treaty, and allots our lands—all contrary to laws and treaties—then you will see us pull up stakes, sell all we have here and land in Mexico, Central or South America."

Secretary A. E. Ivey of the Kee-toowahs recently said: "This move is on foot. It is a big move. I have all the plans and details, but cannot give them out yet. There is a Cherokee and Choctow representative in Mexico now."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Belles of Crow Indian Agency.

The Indian girls of the Crow agency boarding school in Montana gave a soiree dansante the other evening, and the following girls were present: Clara Spotted Horse, Edith Long Ear, Kittie Medicine Tail, Lena Old Bear, Clara Bull Nose, Blanche Little Star, Nellie Shell on the Neck, Mary Old Jack Rabbit, Bertha Full Mouth, Katie Dreamer, Fanny Plenty Butterflies, Bessie Crooker Arm, Martha Long Neck, Isabel Lunch, Floy Hairy Wolf, Alice Shoots as She Goes, Stella Wolf House, Lucy Hawks, Beatrice Beads on Ankle, Susie Bear Lays Down, Louisa Three Wolves, Anna Medicine Pipe, Maggie Broken Ankle, Ruth Bear In the Middle, Helen Comes Out of Fog, Sarah Three Irons, Ida Wrinkle Face, Jessie Flat Head Woman, Lottie Grandmother's Knife, Esther Knows Her Gun, Minnie Nods as Bear and Daisy Young Heifer.—Chicago Tribune.

KLONDIKE TRAM RAILWAY.

Line Will Be Twenty-seven Miles In Length and Elevated Throughout.

A company with a capitalized stock of over $1,000,000 has recently been organized in New York to build a tram railway over the Chilkat pass, Alaska. The new railroad is to be known as the Chilkat Railroad and Transportation Railroad company and will run for 27 miles through the most dangerous part of the pass.

The company was promoted by Mr. S. S. Bush of Louisville, who has been in the Klondike for the past several months, and who saw that such a railroad would be a paying investment. He traveled through the pass on foot and by water and laid out the plan by which the road is to be built. After figuring the cost of such a road he came to New York and began the organization of the stock company. Mr. H. C. Walls was elected president. A contract for the building of the road was recently let to the Trenton Iron company in Mr. Wall's name.

The Klondike road will be used principally for the transportation of baggage and freight. Cars will be put into service large enough to hold two persons, but at the start the company will not depend on the passenger traffic for much revenue.

The new road is to be a link to the road that is to be built from Dyea to Lake Lindeman and is to be elevated the entire distance. Elevating the road has been found necessary, as it covers a stretch over which it would be impossible to build a surface railway, on account of the snow and ice and the roughness of the path over which it is to travel.

According to the specifications, the tramway will be what is known as the Acme system and will be operated by steam power located at either end of the wire cable, along which the cars travel.—New York Journal.

THREE YEAR COURSE.

President Eliot of Harvard Advocates a Shorter Term of Study In Colleges.

President Eliot of Harvard college came out as an advocate of the three year college term recently at the twelfth annual meeting of the New England Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools. Professor John H. Wright of Harvard first presented a paper in favor of the three year course. Professor Thomas D. Seymour of Yale presented an argument in favor of the retention of the four year term. President Eliot said, in upholding the argument of Professor Wright:

"I am an ardent advocate of the short term, and I do not believe that a reduction would affect the thoroughness of the study or make men less able to take up their life work. Our opponents have said that we should not do this because the secondary schools were on too feeble a basis for college training. Any one who has been observant of educational affairs must have seen that in the last seven or eight years the secondary training of youth has been greatly increased in value. In fact, that is the most remarkable thing in teaching I have ever noted in all my professional career. Professional teaching has ceased to be merely a bread and butter, low motive affair and is higher in every sense.

"The professional departments of Harvard are by far the best in the university for power of their men. The college can no longer be considered the sole representative of liberal education. I believe the hope of America depends upon this reduction."—New York Sun.

A Very Singular Answer.

Sarah Bernhardt, desiring on her approaching tour to play in Strassburg, addressed the German government for permission to appear in Alsace-Lorraine. She received the following singular reply: "Mme. Sarah Bernhardt having several times declared that she would never play in Germany, we do not desire to cause her to break her word. But as Strassburg is in a somewhat peculiar case we willingly give her the permission she asks on condition that she plays previously in some other German theater that she may be pleased to designate." Mme. Bernhardt answered that she decined to accept the condition and would consequently give up her purpose to play at Strassburg before her compatriots.—New York Tribune.

Odd Decision About Mustard

At the recent term of quarter sessions in Stroudsburg, Pa., Judge Allen Craig made a decision that will be of interest to those who have suffered under the pure food law. The decision was made in the suit brought by Inspector R. M. Simmers against Zeig Bros. of Tobyhanna Mills, whom the former caused to be arrested for selling impure mustard. The commonwealth had for their chief witness Professor Cochran, head of the department of chemistry of the West Chester (Pa.) Normal school and analyst for the commission. Judge Craig, in his decision, claimed that mustard was not a food, and the jury acquitted the defendants.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Jury Box on Wheels.

The quarters of the United States circuit court, on the third floor of the federal building in New York, were recently renovated. The criminal part contains a novelty in the shape of a jury box on wheels. It can be moved to any position in the free space inside the rails. The platform is of wood and nine feet square. There are three tiers of seats, respectively six inches, nine inches and one foot higher than the floor. On each row are four chairs. There is no railing. Nine heavy rollers are placed under the platform.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Moonlight Mirage.

A number of people of Fayetteville, Ind., say that on a recent night at 10 o'clock they saw mirrored in the clouds a fire in Rushville, Ind.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Biliousness

is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

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insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Piety and Prosperity.

Money is a convenient measure for almost every sort of endeavor, and to want more money wherewith to discharge our obligations and to help the needy and promote good works, as well as to increase our personal comfort, comes very near being a pious desire. Thrift and honesty come near, in the eyes of contemporary thinkers, to godliness. We have certainly made a great gain in thrift, and there is no reason to think that, as a people, we have retrograded in honesty. We of this generation, when we get into a scrape, are not so much disposed to insist that it was God's will as to reason together and try to find out what stupid thing we have done, or what wise thing we have neglected, that has resulted so disastrously. This we do, not necessarily because we are less religious than our forbears, but perhaps because we are somewhat more reasonable than they. It does not seem certain that this increased sense of our own responsibility is a development that is to be regretted.

However, if any of our friends who are solicitous for our welfare have been disappointed in some of the effects or lack of effect of adversity upon us let us hope that they will be disappointed again, and more agreeably, in the spiritual results of any prosperity that may be vouchsafed to us.—Scribner's.

Encouraging.

"Come in, sir," said the ardent young college graduate who had just established a literary paper in a flourishing town, according to the Chicago Tribune. "You are my first caller. I dare say I am right in surmising that you have come to extend a helping hand to this enterprise, so far, at least, as to enroll your name in the list of subscribers. It is no light task, I assure you, to publish a paper of this character, even in larger cities than this, and I look upon it as a duty every good citizen owes to himself to take advantage of every opportunity to improve his mind and elevate his literary taste—to say nothing of the larger duty he owes to society."

First Caller—I don't mind subscribin fur the durned paper if you'll take your pay in sorghum molasses.

How Screwdrivers Are Made.

Some of the best screwdrivers are made from wornout cotton spindles. In days gone by these wornout spindles were thrown on to an old iron heap and left to rust until they were sold for old metal. Then somebody thought of grinding one end into a wedge and flattening the other. Result, a screwdriver of the best quality and a large percentage of extra profit for the cotton spinners.—Exchange.

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For Infants and Children.

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Sandy's Salvation.

"An hoo's the guid wife, Sandy?" said one farmer to another as they met in the market place and exchanged snuff-boxes.

"Did ye no hear that she's dead and buried?" said Sandy solemnly.

"Dear me!" exclaimed his friend sympathetically. "Surely it must have been very sudden."

"Aye, it was sudden," returned Sandy. "Ye see, when she turned ill we hadna time to send for the doctor, sae I gied her a bit pouther that I had lying in my drawer for a year or twa, and that I had got frae the doctor mysel', but hadna ta'en. What the pouther was I dinna verra weel ken, but she died soon after. It's a sair loss to me, I can assure ye, but it's something to be thankful for I didna tak' the pouther mysel'."—Spare Moments.

Rich and poor alike suffer the tortures that come with that terrible plague, Itching Piles; rich and poor alike find instant relief and permanent cure in Doan's Ointment. Your dealer keeps it.

An Inexpensive Pleasure.

Judge Peterby is rich and stingy. In the event of his death his son is to inherit his property. A friend of the family said to the old gentleman:

"I hear your son is going to marry. On that occasion you ought to do something to make him happy."

"I will. I'll pretend that I am dangerously sick."—New York Sunday World.

Lightning Hot Drops—
What a Funny Name!
Very True, but It Kills All Pain—
Sold Everywhere, Every Day—
Without Relief, There Is No Pay!

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OLD MAIDS IN BERMUDA.

Marrying an Alien Means Loss of a Woman's Landed Estate.

In spite of the pre-eminence of the spinster in New England, the proportion of unmarried women is greater in the British colony of Bermuda than anywhere else on this side of the Atlantic ocean. The semitropical climate of the islands, together with their isolation, has made of the white inhabitants of English stock a quiet, almost a sluggish, people of a simplicity nearly Arcadian. The women especially, many of whom have led very circumscribed lives, never leaving the islands, cultivate an old fashioned hospitality and possess a natural ease of manner that seems to rise from perfect faith in other people. Crime is very rare in Bermuda, partly because it is extremely difficult for a criminal to get off the islands.

Bermudan women are excellent housekeepers and bring up large families of children, the favorite chicks of a flock being sent, in some cases, to the states for education. In matters of etiquette these flocks are much more exact than Americans. They are a comfortable, well to do set of people, with here and there a family possessing ample means. As in England, property, especially real estate, remains in the same family for a long period, some of the descendants of the original settlers still possessing lands that never have passed out of their families.

It is conservatism as to real estate ownership that keeps up the supply of spinsters. No alien can acquire a title to land in Bermuda either by purchase or inheritance. This law is directed mainly against the Portuguese, who have flocked to the colony and taken to growing onions. So long as these intruders own no land they have no vote, and the difficulty of naturalization and the property qualifications combine to make a double barrier, protecting the natives in their control of things.

But the law provides, further, that if a woman owning land marries an alien she forfeits her real estate and becomes incapable of inheriting any. They have no "squaw men" in Bermuda. This law is not very popular with young women, who see their brothers and sweethearts paying court to American girls with comfortable incomes. The number of Americans who have become residents of Bermuda is smaller than it would be under different land laws, but the winter colony is a large one, and the most energetic business men of Hamilton, the capital of the islands, are from the States. Marriages result of Bermudan men with American girls, but in a community where so large a large proportion of all property is land Bermudan girls are prevented from retaliating. There are instances where girls renounce their birthrights, but penniless belles are not universally attractive.—New York Tribune.

A Spy In a Royal Court.

"Marie Antoinette as Dauphine" is the title of an article in The Century by Miss Anna L. Bicknell. It contains much new material drawn from the state papers in Vienna. Miss Bicknell says: Maria Theresa had a strong desire to give suitable guidance to her daughter. She consequently arranged with the German embassador, Comte de Mercy-Argenteau, a secret correspondence, by which she was to be told of everything concerning the young dauphine. Mercy kept a journal, which was regularly sent to the empress, in which the most minute details of the daily life of the princess were jotted down; every act, every incautious word, was registered. Being in utter ignorance of this agreement, Marie Antoinette treated Mercy with full confidence, often expressing astonishment at the information possessed by the empress concerning her, but never dreaming that Mercy, whom she entirely trusted, was, in fact, an accredited spy through whom everything was revealed.

There is, it must be owned, something revolting in the part played by Mercy. True, the revelations were made only to her mother, but she was empress of Germany, and while Marie Antoinette ought henceforward to have been devoted to the interests of France, the country over which her husband was to reign, the one idea of Maria Theresa was the prosperity and welfare of her own empire.

Japanese Welcome Society.

The Japanese have shown their hospitality and their desire to cultivate the good will of strangers by establishing a "welcome society" in Tokyo. The object of this society is to give counsel to all strangers visiting Japan and to make their sojourn in the kingdom of the mikado as agreeable as possible.

Land In the United Kingdom.

If the land of England, Ireland and Scotland were equally divided among the inhabitants, each man, woman and child would have two acres to move about in.

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REV. J. WESLEY MILLER CURED OF A BAD COUGH

He writes on May 11, 1897: "I have been troubled for years with a cough in the winter season AND this last winter had a severe attack of bronchitis which left me worse, if possible, than before, but after taking three 25c boxes of Dr. Kay's Lung Balm have been completely cured. My wife has been troubled with CONSTIPATION FOR 10 OR 12 YEARS and at times has gone as long as eight days without the bowels moving and has had to take medicine constantly, but has never found anything that has done her so much good as

Dr. Kay's Renovator.

She has taken four 25c boxes and while taking it has been regular and has improved in her general health very much, and I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Kay's remedies to those who are afflicted.—J. WESLEY MILLER, Pastor M. E. Church, Grandview, Ill." Dr. Kay's Renovator has cured so many of the worst cases of DYSPEPSIA that we consider it a specific for this disease and for proof we refer all to the testimonials of wonderful cures reported in our book. It has cured many bad cases of HEADACHE and when caused by constipation or dyspepsia, it is sure to cure every case, in fact, we believe it has no equal for headache from whatever cause. It always cures BILIOUSNESS and all forms of liver and kidney complaints, nervousness, neuralgia, impure blood, scrofula, skin diseases, pimples, boils, blotches, glandular enlargements, dropsy, RHEUMATISM and piles. It is sold by druggists or sent by mail at 25c and $1. Send stamp for Dr. B. J. Kay's "Home Treatment and Valuable Recipes," a 48 page book treating all diseases. Address Dr. B. J. Kay Medical Co., Western Office, Omaha, Nebraska.

SOLD BY DRUGGIST

THE HARLEY PHARMACY, LIMA, OHIO.

A lady from Kansas City writes: "I was ill with dyspepsia and indigestion for about seven years without permanent relief until I finally tried

Ripans Tabules

After using a box of them I can eat anything without any unpleasant effect, am gaining strength and think I am permanently cured. I think it my duty to give this testimony, hoping that some one suffering from the same cause may be benefited by using them."

Brazilian Balm

THE GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN BALM

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Coughs, Colds, Croup & Grippe

LIKE MAGIC.

RADICALLY CURES

CATARRH!

It clears the head of foul mucous, heals the sores and ulcers of the head and throat, sweetens the breath, and perfectly restores the senses of the taste, smell and hearing. Stops headache and dropping into the throat. Also destroys the germ which causes

HAY FEVER,

making a perfect cure in a few days. Never fails! No fatal case of LA GRIPPE ever known where Brazilian Balm was faithfully used. It destroys the grippe germ and quickly removes all the other bad effects.

INFALLIBLE in ASTHMA, CROUP, BRONCHITIS, PLEURISY, PNEUMONIA, DYSPEPSIA, RHEUMATISM, TYPHOID and SCARLET FEVER, MEASLES, and any disease where there is Inflammation, Fever or Congestion. Greatest relief in Consumption ever discovered.

Cures a Fresh Cold in one day. Stops EARACHE in 2 minutes. Stops ringing in the head and relieves deafness. As an injection invaluable in female troubles. For outward use heals Cuts, Sores and Burns like magic. Prevents lock-jaw from wounds. QUICK CURE FOR CONSTIPATION AND PILES.

Its Healing Power is Almost Miraculous. The Best Family Medicine in Existence

50 Cent Bottle contains 100 Doses, or Two Weeks Treatment for Catarrh.

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"Brazilian Balm cured me of inveterate catarrh which I had for over 20 years. It is the most wonderful triumph of medical science."—*Gen. J. Parke Postles.* "Croup, cold and the worst form of gripp we have found Brazilian Balm invaluable."—*Jno. W. S. Boothe, D. D., Pastor Del. Ave. Bap. Ch.* "Mrs. Lore has used the Brazilian Balm and thinks it did her much good."—*Hon. Chas. B. Lore, Chief Justice of Del.* "One bottle of Brazilian Balm cured a friend of mine of hay fever."—*Thos. M. Culbert.* "I was very deaf for 10 years from catarrh. Brazilian Balm applied [illegible] in my ears every day soon restored my hearing."—*Mrs. John Sexton, Lancaster, Pa.* "It is the best thing for dyspepsia I ever saw tried."—*Judge Edward Wootten.* "Was worn almost to the grave with a racking cough that all the remedies and the doctors failed to relieve. It was cured with one bottle of Brazilian Balm. It shall be my doctor through life."—*Mrs. J. Galloway, Pottstown, Pa.* "I was fearfully crippled up with rheumatism, could not get my hand to my head. I took ten 50 cent bottles of Brazilian Balm in six months. Am now entirely cured and as nimble as I was at forty."—*Anson Burrell, aged 84.* A lady in Cincinnati was so afflicted with asthma that during the winter for seventeen years she was unable to sleep lying down, was entirely and permanently cured with Brazilian Balm.

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The Way She Got Around It.

Mrs. Benham—In the next world people will be doing the same they do in this.

Benham—I don't believe it. Now, I am a night clerk. How am I to get work in my line if I go where there is no night? Answer me.

Mrs. Benham—That's easy—you won't go there.—*Judge.*

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Cured In One Night.

Charles H. Connelle, Esq., leading lawyer of York, Pa., says: "Your Brazilian Balm cured me of one of the worst colds I ever experienced, in one night. I think it the greatest medicine in the market, and you can use my name any way you like.

Advance of Civilization.

Scotty—Yep; that's old Howling Ike. Used to be the terror of the camp.

Visitor from the East—You don't say so! He looks quite civil and respectable, I'm sure. Was he converted?

Scotty—You betcher life he war! We 'lected his ole woman sheriff.—*Puck.*

A Short, Sad Story.

A Cold.
Neglect.
Pneumonia.
Grief.

Had Foley's Honey and Tar been used, this story would have had a happier ending. H. F. Vorhamp, northeast corner Main and North streets.

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Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to day to show you a package of GRAIN O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN O has that rich seal br wn of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.

PLAY GOLF

The out-door, exhilarating, healthful, and fashionable game of the day. Much about it, and pictures, in the October **PURITAN.**

10 cents at news-stands, $1.00 a year. Frank A. Munsey, New York.

LOCAL TIME CARD

Going time of departure of trains from the various depots at Lima. Corrected June 13, 1897.

F. Ft. W. & C. R. R.

No. 4—Solid Fast Daily			7 45 a m
" 38—	"		3 30 a m
" 20—	"	ex. Sunday,	3 15 p m
" 8—	"		9 30 p m
" 2—	"	Limited	10 50 p m
" 39—	West "	ex. Sunday,	9 20 a m
" 9—	"		2 50 p m
" 31—	"		3 44 p m
" 15—	"		2 00 a m
" 6—	"	Limited	3 35 a m

C., H. & D. R. R.

Taking effect Sunday, July 4, 1897, at 4 o'clock a. m.

No.	SOUTH.	
7,	arrives daily	2.29 a m
1,	leaves "	2 22 a m
35,	" " except Sunday	6 45 a m
1	arrives "	9:37 a m
1,	leaves "	9 40 a m
3,	arrives "	12.30 p m
1,	leaves "	12.35 p m
1,	arrives "	4:00 p m
1,	leaves "	4:03 p m
13,	arrives, except Sunday	9 25 p m
33,	Sunday only, leaves	7 30 a m
35,	" " arrives	10.50 p m

No.	NORTH.	
2,	arrives daily except Sunday	8.20 a m
2,	leaves " " "	8 22 a m
14,	" "	6 55 a m
4,	arrives "	12 25 p m
4,	leaves "	12 40 p m
4,	arrives " except Sunday.	4.28 p m
4,	leaves " " "	4.31 p m
10,	arrives " " "	9:30 p m
12,	arrives daily	1 17 a m
12,	leaves "	1:30 a m
34,	Sunday only, arrives	7:40 a m
34,	" " leaves	7 43 a m
36,	" " arrives	10 30 p m

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. 6	Going East, daily ex. Sunday	7 30 a m
" 4—	" " " "	1 30 p m
" 2—	" " " "	7 15 p m
" 1—	West " " "	9 40 a m
" 3—	" " " "	2 20 a m
" 5—	" "	4 40 p m
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C. & E. R. R.

Local—	Going East daily ex Sunday	7 00 a m
No 2—	" " " "	3 30 p m
" 8—	" "	9 00 p m
" 12—	" "	2 45 a m
Local—	West	7 00 a m
No 1—	"	9 10 a m
" 5—	"	11 45 a m
" 3—	"	13 37 p m
" 13	" " Monday	4 50 p m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

LEAVE SOUTH.

No. 1—	Daily ex. Sunday	8.30 a m
No. 3—	" "	2 30 p m

ARRIVE NORTH

No. 2—	Daily ex. Sunday	11:30 a m
No. 4—	" " "	5:15 p m

DETROIT & LIMA NORTHERN.

NO.	GOING NORTH.	
40,	leaves daily except Sunday	6 35 a m
42,	leaves daily except Sunday	11:35 a m
44,	Tecumseh Accom except Sunday	5 30 p m
48,	leaves Sunday only	8 00 a m
62,	local, daily except Sunday	6 35 a m

	GOING SOUTH.	
41,	arrives daily except Sunday	9:35 p m
3,	arrives daily except Sunday	2 10 p m
5,	Tecumseh Ac., ar. daily ex Sun	8 10 a m
9,	arrives Sunday only	10 30 p m
3,	local	4 15 p m

WHO IS HE!

Man in Jail at Van Wert Who Should Be Known Here, If This is True!

The Van Wert *Bulletin* says:

"Sheriff Conn returned from North Baltimore last night with E. F. Page, arrested for the robbery of Benner & Hoaglin's hardware store at Scott. The prisoner is an old offender. He was released from the Ohio penitentiary four months ago, after serving ten years for robbing a jewelry store in Lima. The prisoner was taken to Scott for a preliminary hearing."

The prisoner mentioned is unknown here. The Horn jewelry store was robbed about ten years ago, but not even a suspect was ever captured.

A True Remedy.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., *Chief*, says. "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and safe cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

What is Going On Among Prominent Country People.

CAUGHT IN THE ROUNDS

By Our Hustling Correspondents in Marion and Shawnee Townships and the Villages of Yoder and Cranberry.

MARION TOWNSHIP.

G. W. Mosier is taking his summer outing at present.

Farmers in this vicinity are busily engaged in husking corn.

The "Ditto Hunting Party" started for the Minnesota woods last Tuesday at 10:30, from Delphos.

A. J. Germann, one of our silver pugilists, is out helping hustle the boys for the 2d day of November.

Little 4 year old Decatur Cremean died Monday, at 4 a. m., and was buried at Allentown Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Ford is, at present writing, convalescent; however, her illness is not likely to be of short duration.

William J. Judkins is at present suffering an attack of rheumatism, but we are hoping to see him speedily recover.

P. E. Brunk is erecting a barn, with J. H. Enslin, of Elida, as contractor; Benj. Brenneman, foreman, and E. Hillyard, L. Sawmiller and John Petree as mechanics.

What is the matter with the Hanna people of good old Marion? One good Foraker farmer was heard to remark recently that the Hannaites were "too scarce to raise a fuss."

Dr. L. Upham, of Sylvania, Lucas county, has been visiting patients in this city for about two weeks. The doctor is of the eclectic school, hence prescribes the root, bark and herb medicines.

Mr. C. C. Ludwig dismissed his school one day of last week for the purpose of defending his son against an arrest made by a detective of the P. Ft. W. & C. Railway, in the matter of stoning cars. Mr. Ludwig's boy was, with two other boys, released, after proving conclusively that they were innocent. Other arrests have followed.

SHAWNEE NEWS.

No. 1 on the Harmon Zuber farm is a "dandy."

Archie Brown has been visiting in Paulding this week.

Miss Ellen Bowsher is visiting friends in Findlay, Ohio.

No. 5 on the Jas. Yoakam farm will get the Trenton rock this week.

Miss Frankie Price, of Easter, O., has been visiting with her cousin, Isaac Hall.

Paul Mayer is engaged building a large cow barn for G. L. Breese, the dairyman.

The rig is up and drilling commenced on No. 3 on the Fred Wiesenmayer farm.

George Burkhart, of our township, is off on a fishing excursion to the Celina reservoir.

Little Hog creek has less water in its channel at the present writing than for many years.

Gilderoy Anthony, of Cardington, Ohio, is visiting his sisters, Mrs James Yoakam and Mrs. Margaret Hall.

Location for well No. 2 has been made on the D. M. Breese farm; also for No. 1 on the Israel Bowsher farm.

The trustees of Shawnee cemetery contemplate making several improvements in their grounds in the near future.

The young folks have organized a literary and debating club at the Myers school house which promises to be a great success.

Lewis Hocker's swine have been suffering from the cholera, more than twenty five of them having already succumbed to the fell destroyer.

The farmers in the west part of Shawnee township are all talking oil, and as the Hume field enlarges it seems as though a good many of them would be in the "pay streak."

The oyster supper for the benefit of the M. E. Church, at Silas Reed's last week, was a great success. About one hundred were present and participated. After the supper a social session of songs, recitations and parlor games were highly enjoyed by all.

YODER

Frank Sodders it out on a fishing tour at the Lewistown reservoir.

A. P. Grafto got a job of pumping and has gone to Hume to work.

Charlie Rousculp is preparing to move on his farm two miles east of Yoder.

It is whispered around that J. R. Ballard will take unto himself a wife ere long.

Elias Grafto is putting down a well. He says he needs it worse in dry weather.

Chris Martin and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Harper, in Vinton county.

Geo. T. Boop has erected a fine residence and expects to live easy the rest of his life.

J. A. Jacobs is preparing to build a shed to his barn for the purpose of sheltering his fine herd of cattle.

Billie Baker, of South Warsaw, has sold his farm of one hundred acres and will move with his family to California for their health.

The prospect for wheat in this locality is not very promising at present and if the dry weather continues much longer McKinley and prosperity will raise wheat another notch.

CRANBERRY.

Carrie Van Meter is on the sick list.

W. P. Cook is having an up ground cellar made.

Beaver Dam drillers are drilling a well for E. P. Bowers.

N. Beade is having stone piers built under his dwelling.

C. H. Bowers bought a load of cattle near Dupont, last week.

Miss Addie Clevenger, of Gomer, a teacher in the Columbus Grove school, spent Saturday with friends here.

E. Trumbo, who has been confined to his room with rheumatism for several weeks, is able to be out again.

The Dunkard love feast at Sugar Creek, Saturday and Sunday, was attended by a number from this vicinity.

Mrs. H. Cupp and daughter Mae, who have been visiting in Indiana the past three weeks, returned home last week.

The Rockport and Lewis Corners schools and churches have been closed by the Board of Health on account of diphtheria.

A child about four years old of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Beemer, died Friday afternoon. Deceased first had measles, terminating in diphtheria. Interment Saturday afternoon in Rockport cemetery.

Bleeding Piles!

And all other forms of this common and often dangerous disease readily cured without pain or inconvenience.

Thousands of men and women are afflicted with some sort of piles, without either knowing the exact nature of the trouble, or knowing it, are careless enough to allow it to run without taking the simple means offered for a radical cure.

The failure of salves and ointments to permanently cure piles has led many to believe the only cure to be a surgical operation.

Surgical operations are dangerous to life and moreover not often entirely successful, and at this time are no longer used by the best physicians or recommended by them.

The safest and surest way to cure any case of piles, whether blind, bleeding or protruding, is to use the Pyramid Pile cure, composed of healing vegetable oils, and absolutely free from mineral poisons and opiates. The following letter from a Pittsburg gentleman, a severe sufferer from bleeding piles, gives some idea of the prompt, effectual character of this pile cure. He writes:

"I take pleasure in writing these few lines to let you know that I did not sleep for three months except for a short time each night, because of a bad case of bleeding piles. I was down in bed and the doctors did me no good. A good brother told me of the Pyramid Pile Cure and I bought from my druggist three fifty-cent boxes. They cured me and I will soon be able to go to my work again.

WILLIAM HANDSCHU,
46 St., Cotton Alley, below Butler St., Pittsburg, Pa."

The Pyramid Pile Cure is not only the safest and surest remedy for piles, but is the best known and most popular. Every physician and druggist in the country knows it and what it will do.

Send for little book on cause and cure of piles, describing all forms of piles and the proper treatment.

The Pyramid can be found at all drug stores at 50 cents per package.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver trouble they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purley vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, druggist.

"Trimmings" is the term under which alcoholic drinks are disguised in the bills English ladies run up at the London department stores, according to Salvation Army investigators.

More than 10,000 persons are engaged in the manufacture of explosives in England. Last year 40 persons in the business were killed and 167 injured by accidents.

IF COFFEE

ACTS AS A POISON To you,

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SHOULD BE YOUR DAILY BEVERAGE.

GERMAN INDUSTRIALS.

Their Chief Speaker Denounces Dingley Tariff Law.

Berlin, Oct. 21.—At the meeting of the Central Association of German Industrialists to-day delegates to Prince Hohenlohe's committee for drafting a commercial treaty with Herr Buck, the chief speaker, denounced the Dingley tariff as "the most complicated, contradictory and uncertain tariff ever conceived." He declared that it was due to capitalistic peculations which are proving fatal to the industrial existence of the United States."

At the same time Herr Buck said he felt bound to protest against the danger of a customs war. The sugar industry would suffer thereby, and Germany would not be in a position to support herself in the United States should she retaliate with repressive duties on corn, cotton or petroleum.

On the other hand, he said, he did not anticipate a long life for "the era of capitalistic dominion in America."

Small Chance For His Life.

Pueblo, Colo., Oct. 21.—A special train on the Golf road ran from Walsenburg to this city, 57 miles in 50 minutes, to bring to a hospital here Senor Neumann, a wealthy cattle and sheep owner, who had been shot in the abdomen by Paul Frohlich, a member of Walsenburg council. The men quarreled in regard to a house which the council had ordered removed. Frohlich says that before he fired Neumann had drawn a revolver. Neumann denies that he had any weapon. His chance of life is about one in 50.

Dispersed the Mob.

Liberty, Mo., Oct. 21.—A mob of about 100 masked and armed men attempted to enter the county jail shortly after midnight for the supposed purpose of lynching William Foley and Frank Wade, two murderers held there awaiting trial. The sheriff assembled a few deputies and with a show of arms compelled the mob to desist from its purpose and disperse. Several shots were fired, but nobody was hit. Foley, who killed his mother and sister, was tried last July, but the jury disagreed.

Fled From a Mob.

Metropolis, Ills., Oct. 21.—Sheriff Parks of Williamson county and a deputy arrived from Carterville with seven Italians to be lodged in the Massie county jail for safety from an infuriated mob of 150 men. The Italians, it is charged, murdered a Mr. Young Saturday night near Carterville, brutally stamping out his brains and bowels, while George Colombo, it is alleged, cut the poor victim's liver out with a butcher knife. They will be held here until next Monday.

Death of an Old Pioneer.

New York, Oct. 21.—Archibald M. Allerton, a pioneer in the live stock trade, is dead at Moore's Fork, N. Y., aged 75 years. He built the first stock yards in this city, also yards at West Albany, at Suspension Bridge, the National stock yards in East St. Louis and the stock yards in Toledo. His family holds a large interest in the Chicago stock yards.

Talented Singer Killed.

St. Louis, Oct. 21.—Thomas Reynolds, aged 50, for many years court reporter for one of the local papers, shot and killed Joseph Kirby, aged 29, a clerk in a railway office and a talented singer. The shooting was the result of a quarrel. Reynolds gave himself up.

Blown Into the Air.

Franklin, Ind., Oct. 21.—Pat Murphy's quart shop at Greenwood, 10 miles north of here, was dynamited by unknown parties. Two explosions occurred, the building being completely wrecked and all of the liquor lost, inflicting $2,000 damage.

General McClernand Ill.

Springfield, Ills., Oct. 21.—General John McClernand is quite sick at his home here with a malady that physicians find difficulty in diagnosing. His friends are apprehensive on account of his advanced age and physical frailty.

Destructive Blaze.

Kokomo, Ind., Oct. 21.—The town of Centre was almost entirely destroyed by fire. Every business house was burned except the postoffice. The loss will be about $72,000, with $2,700 insurance. The entire town was threatened.

Threw Paris Green Into the Well.

Princeton, Ky., Oct. 21.—The grand jury returned an indictment against Mat Blakely and Jennie Blakely, charging them with attempting to poison the family of L. Y. Pollard by sprinkling paris green in a well.

Gherardi Re-Elected.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21.—At a meeting of the commandery-in-chief of the military order of the Loyal Legion of the United States Rear Admiral Bancroft Gherardi was re-elected commander-in-chief of the order.

Charged With Embezzlement.

Akron, O., Oct. 21.—Ex-Councilman Charles C. Sherbondy has been indicted on the charge of embezzlement. He is an insurance agent.

A Minister to Resign.

Martin's Ferry, O., Oct. 21.—Rev. E. G. Bailey will resign the pastorate of the United Presbyterian church next Sunday.

A Complex Calendar.

The Chinese have a singularly complicated calendar. Their cycles have 60 years, each year, month and day having its own name, and by combining these the day, month and year are designated.

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Origin of the Ancient Etruscans.

We know less of the language used by the Etruscans than of many other details of their existence—only enough to be assured that it was of an exceedingly primitive type. It was constructed upon as fundamentally different a system from the Aryan tongues as is the Basque, described in our last paper. It seems to have been, like the Basque, allied to the great family of languages which includes the Lapps, Finns and Hungarians in modern Europe and the aborigines of Asia and America. These unfortunate similarities led to all sorts of queer theories as to the racial origin of the people, as wild, many of them, as those invented for the Basques. It never occurred to any one to differentiate race, language and culture one from another, distinct as each of the trio may be in our eyes today. If a philologist found similarity in linguistic structure to the Lapp, he immediately jumped to the conclusion that the Etruscans were Lapps and Lapland the primitive seat of the civilization. Thus Taylor in his early work asserts an Asiatic origin akin to the Finns. Then Pauli and Deecke for a time independently traced them to the same Turanian source.—Popular Science Monthly.

Diplomacy.

"I have come," said the young man, "to ask for your daughter's hand."

The proud banker gazed over his glasses at the fellow and demanded:

"Well, have you any means of supporting her?"

"Alas, I am poor, but hear my story."

"Go on."

"When I spoke to Claudia about coming to see you, she told me it was useless—that her mother was the man of the house, and that I had better go to her. But I said: 'No. Your father may permit your mother to think that she is the man of the house, just to humor her, but I have seen enough of him to know that when a matter of importance comes up his strong will must always assert itself. His strength of character may not be brought out by little things, still'"—

"My boy," interrupted the old gentleman, patting him upon the shoulder, "I have known all along that you were not one of those ordinary dudes who are incapable of understanding what is going on in the world around them. Take her, and may you always be happy."—Chicago Record.

Even at Last.

"I notice," remarked the literary editor, casually turning over the leaves of the book the struggling author had brought in, "you have given your hero six fingers on his right hand, and there is nothing in the story, so far as I can see, to explain why. May I ask what the extra finger is for?"

"To snap at the critics!" vociferated the struggling author, with a gleam of vengeance in his eye. The worm had turned.—Chicago Tribune.

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At the Campaign Meeting.

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The British government has decided to have nothing to do with bimetallism and has so informed our representative, Senator Wolcott, of Colorado. The senator was sent over there by McKinley, but he as well as McKinley and the gold powers knew in advance what the result would be. The sending of an emissary from this country to England was only the fulfillment of promises made to the silver men within the Republican ranks to hold them in line until McKinley and the single gold standard could get their votes. But it occurs to a casual thinker that the British government would be grateful enough to Mark Hanna to withhold its decision until after the Ohio election. The will o' the wisp of foreign governments agreeing to an international conference has dissipated and will delude no voters of Republican silver intention this year into any support of Hanna. They will support Chapman and legislative candidates friendly to free coinage, no matter who he may be.

Enough voters in Mark Hanna's own city of Cleveland left the hall when he was speaking there the other night to elect not only a Democratic legislative ticket but Chapman himself. Cuyahoga county will give the Democratic ticket 5,000. majority. If in 1896 Hanna's home city shows a loss for the man Hanna claims he made president, reaching 4,900, what will not the same town do when the "maker" of the president himself comes up for a vote of confidence?

In the early part of the campaign there was some talk on the part of certain newspapers that Hon. H. L. Chapman did not know enough about state affairs to run the administration if he was elected. If this was true what wonderful strides Mr. Chapman has made since the first of July. Evidently Mr. Chapman has been attending night school. He has discovered that the "business" administration of governor Bushnell cost the taxpayers in 1896 $600,000 more than the same "business" administration cost them the year before. And he gets all his figures from the appropriations made by a Republican legislature and published by a Republican auditor of state.

It is an old saying that everything comes out in the wash. Nothing has been shown to be truer than this as the late developments in the Union Pacific railroad show. Hanna gets $2,000,000 in campaign boodle and in return the donors are to get $20,000,000 for the favor. About one of the easiest things in this country is to get rich if one has a million dollars to begin with. The difficulty is in making the first million. The next ten millions are not nearly so hard to get. Here is a pool of bankers who give up $2,000,000 to a campaign fund. Then the administration is so constructed that the government can be robbed with impunity to the extent of ten times the amount.

It used to be said that there is honor among thieves. But it appears this is not the case if the treatment of Grover Cleveland by the gold bug millionaires of Wall street is to be taken as an indication. Grover was a great man when betraying the party that elected him—twice for thirty pieces of gold, but now when the scandal of the $20,000,000 steal through the Union Pacific railroad comes out it is charged by the robbers that Grover made the deal and they are innocent. While they expect to get the usufruct and admit that Grover is to get none they are positive that Grover carried the "jimmy" and pried off the lock. To robbery they are making themselves more despicable by adding the viler sin of ingratitude. Cleveland is finding out now that he no longer has power, that the Republicans hate him as much as ever, despite what he did for them, while the Democrats to hatred add contempt.

The Republican administrations in the state of Ohio since 1892 have been robbing every business within the confines of the state. In addition to sandbagging the saloons out of $1,000,000, half of which went direct to the state, the administrations of McKinley and Bushnell levied upon insurance companies, and last year these paid $111,522.26. Then the tax on charters for manufacturing corporations was so increased that $122,274.15 was raised last year. Then excise taxes on sleeping car and express companies, that were only in their infancy, amounted to $40,757.42. Then the tax on cigarettes brought $12,817.18, and the collateral inheritance tax $1,477.08, making in all $1,076,232.70 of taxes raised by the new schemes not applicable in this state until discovered by the ingenuity of taxeating cormorants whose insatiate appetites for more plunder had to be satisfied.

It is conceded that a Republican newspaper in the midst of a campaign has nerve enough to publish almost any sort of campaign lie, but there is one line they do not cross. Wherever Horace L. Chapman has held political meetings the local Republican paper has not dared announce that the meetings were failures. These announcements have been left to Republican papers elsewhere. It is not altogether like the milk sickness—to be found in the adjoining county. Mr. Chapman's meetings have been largely attended wherever he has spoken. The effort to deceive the people by misrepresenting the size of his meetings will avail nothing for the sinking Republican craft on which it is believed Governor Bushnell is drifting to his fate.

THE TRUSTS PROSPERING.

Prices Have Gone Up, but There's a Hard Winter Ahead For the Workingman.

The talk about prosperity having returned should not blind us to a few hard facts, says the Kansas City Times. Prices have certainly risen. The rise in wheat has dragged up the price of flour, and it in turn the price of bread.

Meat similarly costs more. Coal, thanks to the added subsidy given the trust by the Dingley tariff, has gone up. Lumber has also risen, thanks to the outrageous bounty given by the same measure to the timber barons, who in various ways, fair and foul, secured a monopoly of the people's forests and are now to be paid by the people for devastating them and marketing their unearned wealth.

Provisions are rising. Sugar and salt are especially dearer, and the trusts are still increasing their demands. Clothing of all sorts, owing to added subsidies in the tariff, is growing dearer. In fact, everything that is used will cost more.

Corresponding to this great increase in the cost of living there is no advance in wages. The vast army of workingmen are given the same number of dollars, though they cannot buy anything like so much therewith. Even the men who are steadily employed cannot view with satisfaction the prospect of having to go through the winter with the same money as last year, though food, fuel, shelter and clothing are much dearer.

Last winter, though we are told wages were in many instances lower than before, the cost of living was still lower in comparison. In spite of this fact there were so many men out of employment that aside from Kansas City, where extensive improvements sufficed to support the men who would otherwise have been out of work, there was much suffering. This winter, with those same wages, the workingmen and their unfortunate friends will have to pay double prices for food, fuel, shelter and clothing.

The farmers need not be pointed out as enjoying prosperity. They would have got good prices in any event and would not have had to divide with the trusts. The plutocrats are the only real beneficiaries. They have managed by boosting their prices to reduce wages in a roundabout way. The prospect for the workingmen is not improved by the fact that the trusts are prospering at the people's expense.

MINERS DENOUNCE BUSHNELL.

(The Dispatch, April 10, 1896.)

The resolution was presented indorsing the candidacy of Hon. J. J. Lane, of Nelsonville, O., as a candidate for member of the state board of arbitration. The resolution was not seconded.

President Ratchford said that there appeared to be some reason for this, but he did not know what it was. As for himself he has no further favors to ask at the hands of the present state administration.

The last state convention unanimously indorsed Hon. W. T. Lewis for labor statistician and the request was not granted, after a committee had waited on the governor.

Mr. Lewis had been indorsed by some of the largest labor organizations in the state, and yet he was not appointed. Under these circumstances he personally was opposed to asking Governor Bushnell for further favor.

(The Press, April 20, 1896.)

After the resolution favoring the appointment of Hon. J. J. Lane, of Nelsonville, was read before the convention, President Ratchford arose and bursted a bombshell in the convention by stating that he was opposed to the resolution, not because he hadn't the highest regard for Mr. Lane, and confidence in his ability for that position or any other to which he might aspire, but because of the rebuke which the present administration has given to trades unions of Ohio by refusing to re-appoint Hon. W. T. Lewis to the position of labor commissioner. He said that Mr. Lewis was unanimously indorsed by the miners in two conventions, one in the Hocking Valley and the other in this city, as well as the iron workers, moulders and building trades generally, and for this reason President Ratchford said he had no further favors to ask of the present state administration.

This feeling prevailed among the delegates and no sooner had President Ratchford sat down than the convention burst into applause.

Who said "Dollar wheat!"

Hanna is whining and begging.

Get out every Democratic vote.

The Republicans of Hardin refused to let Hanna speak in that county.

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Hanna is the first candidate for senator in Ohio who was ever hissed by his own party.

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TEST OF DEMOCRACY.

Indorsement of the Principles of the Party.

AS DECLARED IN ITS PLATFORM.

True Democracy, According to the Gold Politicians, Is the Turning Over of the Party to the Deserters Who Voted For McKinley—Henry Watterson's Views.

In a recent issue of the Louisville Courier-Journal Colonel Henry Watterson devotes three columns and more of his editorial page to a discussion of "True Democracy." What Mr. Watterson calls "true Democracy" is not the declaration of the party, says the Atlanta Constitution, but the whims and scruples of an insignificant minority, which, for various reasons (some honest, we hope, and others dishonest, we know), turned their backs on the organization, bolted the party, and, to cap the climax, deserted their own chosen candidates and rushed to the support of McKinley. According to Mr. Watterson's idea, the whims, opinions, selfish scruples and acts of this insignificant minority constitute true Democracy.

A most singular charge to come from the chief rhetorician of the gold party is that those who were in favor of committing the party to the gold standard were handicapped by Mr. Cleveland, whereas until Mr. Cleveland became president for the second time there never had been found a Democrat in public life willing to declare himself in favor of the schemes of the Gold trust. Mr. Watterson can well afford to do the ex-president justice in this matter. He set the pattern in 1893, when by the artful, if not corrupt, employment of the public patronage and the exercise of his official and personal influence, he dragooned many weak kneed Democrats into supporting the schemes of the gold trust with respect to the silver act of 1890. But for the example and influence of Mr. Cleveland such a thing as the advocacy of the gold standard would never have been heard of in the Democratic party.

Mr. Watterson is absolutely correct when he declares that the cause of the gold standard, so far as the Democratic party is concerned, was lost long before the Chicago convention. All the power and influence of the administration and its army of subservient officials were insufficient to commit more than a handful of Democrats to the gold standard. In every vote taken on the financial issue in congress since 1873 the party had repudiated the gold standard, and every Democratic state convention in the states where the Democrats were in fighting trim had indorsed and declared for the restoration of silver.

Consequently when the financial issue was brought to the front and made paramount by Cleveland's repudiation of the Democratic platform and policy, the people in the preliminary campaign of 1896 swept Cleveland and the gold standard aside and declared for the restoration of silver with a unanimity that has few parallels in our politics. The whole machinery of the administration was powerless to compel the party to indorse the gold standard or to repudiate silver in any Democratic state throughout the length and breadth of the land.

The reason why the cause of the gold standard was lost was because it was and is opposed to every Democratic principle, no matter how profanely these principles may be twisted by alien interpretation. The opposition of Democrats to the gold standard was and is so unanimous that to this day and in spite of the campaigns of "education" the organs of the gold party are afraid to call it by its right name. They call it "sound money," showing that they are even now timorous about pronouncing their purpose aloud.

Mr. Watterson divides his editorial article into two sections. The first is taken up with the various and sundry troubles of the bolters. The real trouble is that they are practically without following or standing. They are in a hopeless and helpless minority. But why should they be troubled over this? If they are honest in their convictions, if they sincerely believe that the gold standard is a good thing for all the people of this country, why should they be disturbed or troubled? Mr. Watterson attempts to console his little coterie by declaring that the result of the Democratic declaration at Chicago was a "disastrous defeat." And yet Democrats do not so regard it. The party polled the largest vote in its history, and the result was to gather together in a compact organization all the Democratic elements and forces in the country.

Singular to say, Mr. Watterson treats of his "remedy" at even greater length than he does of his troubles. He could have laid bare his remedy in a line. It is simply to the effect that the Democratic party of Kentucky and of the whole country shall abdicate its principles, repudiate its platform and surrender its machinery to the handful of bolters who were foolish enough to suppose that Clevelandism and goldolatry would be indorsed by the people. We are surprised to find Mr. Watterson engaged in an effort so futile and fatuous. The Democratic party has declared its principles under instructions direct from the people, and 6,500,000 Democratic voters have declared their willingness to stand by them. The test of Democracy is the indorsement or acceptance of the Democratic platform. Those who can neither indorse nor accept this platform are not Democrats, and all the arguments that the ingenious mind of Mr. Watterson could discover or invent from now until doomsday will not make them Democrats.

We think the result in Kentucky this fall will convince Mr. Watterson of the futility of his "remedy."

THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

A Lively Experience That Was All Over In About a Minute.

"I never actually slid down a toboggan slide," said the retired burglar, "but I think I can form a pretty fair idea of what it's like from an experience that I had once. I was poking around in a house that I was in, and I had just come out of a room on the second floor where there was a man asleep that struck me somehow as being pretty restless and I hadn't more'n got through the door into the hall when I heard this man holler, 'Here he is, Jim!' and saw him jump out of bed and come b'iling after me, and at the same minute I saw a man come ripping and ramping out of a door down by the other end of the hall.

"Now, the thing that I'd ha' done under ordinary circumstances, of course, would have been to run down stairs, but the door that Jim was coming out of was right by the head of the stairs, and it wasn't possible. But right back of me there was an attic stairs I knew, because I'd opened the door when I first came up, and the only way out for me was that way. It wasn't a way I'd ha' picked out, but it was a narrow stairs, boarded on the sides, and I knew that if I could once get into it and faced to the front I could stand off both men easy enough, till I had time to think, anyway, unless they had a gun, with my jimmy. So I opened that door and jumped up the stairs about four steps and slewed around to face 'em.

"I was carrying my bag by a strap over my shoulder, and I had my lamp in my left hand. I turned my lamp up for just a fraction of a second when I went in to see what was above, and I saw almost overhead the scuttle in the roof and the ladder leading to it from the garret floor right at the head of these attic stairs. The scuttle held only by a hook hooking into a staple—I could see that easy. A man can see a heap under some circumstances.

"I made a swing or two at the boys with the jimmy and stood 'em off easy at first, because it sounded very soggy when slugged into the side of the stairs, but I knew they'd rush in pretty quick, and I give 'em just one more vicious swing with the iron and then I turned and bolted for the scuttle with them after me. I'd dropped lamp and jimmy in my bag, and I used both hands on the scuttle ladder. Darker'n Egypt now, but I knew where that hook was just as well as though there'd been an electric light alongside of it.

"I threw back the hook and threw the scuttle up bang over on to the roof and caught the frame and raised myself up. It was an old fashioned house—you've seen 'em—two stories high in front and one in the back, with a long, sloping roof running down from the ridgepole, with a sort of bend or valley in it about two-thirds the way down, where the one story part began.

"As I looked out on it the roof seemed to be about a mile long and steep as the side of a mountain. There was a fag end of a moon just rising. I could see it from where I was through the tops of the trees, and it made a little light, but it would have been all the same if there hadn't been any. I stepped out and sat down on the roof and started, all in one motion. The foremost of the two men reached for me out through the scuttle and missed me by about a hair, but that was as good as a mile, because I was going then a mile a minute—where to I didn't know, but I knew I wouldn't have long to wait.

"Zoop and away I went down the roof and off the edge into the air! That lower part of the roof, you remember, was flatter than the upper part, and that threw me off into the air kind of horizontal, and that saved me a heap. I'd ha' been smashed flat if the roof had been steep and straight. And right back of the house there was a terrace across the yard, maybe 3 feet high, with thick grass on it that hadn't been cut for a month at least, and I was shot off so far that I dropped finally just below the crest of that terrace and slid down the face of it on the thick grass and came to a stop on the level ground below and never started a rivet.

"The two men was standing looking out the scuttle and never saying boo, but when they saw me get up and walk off they laughed till you could hear 'em all over the country, and I laughed a little myself then. I'd had worse things happen to me."
—New York Sun.

A Curious Postoffice.

The postoffice at the strait of Magellan consists of a small painted keg or cask, and it is chained to the rocks of the extreme cape in a manner so that it floats free opposite Tierra del Fuego. Each passing ship sends a boat to take letters out and put letters in. This curious postoffice is unprovided with a postmaster and is, therefore, under the protection of all the navies of the world. Never in the history of the unique "office" have its privileges been abused.

A Diamond Mine . . . .

Could not give as much satisfaction as our stock of beautiful glistening gems do. Diamonds in the rough are not like the bright sparkling stones that come from the hands of the skilled cutters. Appropriate settings enhance their beauty. We have competent workmen to do this and the artistic collection displayed deserves a visit. Low prices will be sufficient inducement to hesitating purchasers.

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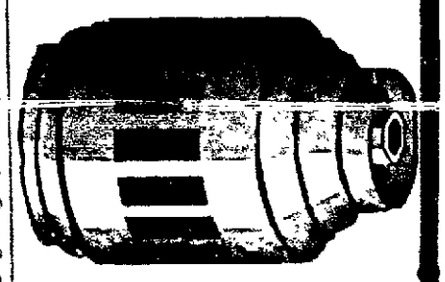

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THE GRAVEL TRAIN

Accident at Sidney a Few Days Ago

CAUSED TWO SUSPENSIONS

Of Trainmen Who Were Connected With It—Reinstatement of the Men Expected—Engineer Matthews's Improving.

Conductor Jack O'Brien and brakeman Jack Walsh, who were a part of the C., H. & D. crew to the freight train that was run into by a gravel train at Sidney a few days ago, this morning received notice that they should no longer consider themselves in the employ of this road. Since the wreck the men have been laying off, awaiting the decision of the officials. It was reported that the order had been rescinded, and that the men would be reinstated, but no such action has yet been taken. The probabilities are that such action will be taken by the officials, but nothing definite will be known until superintendent Floeter returns Saturday from his trip with the C., H. & D. inspection train.

NOTES.

Engineer Callahan, of the C., H. & D., has reported for duty.

Conductor T. E. Davis, of the L. E. & W., returned last night from Toledo, where he spent yesterday with friends.

S. M. Felton, receiver of the Cincinnati Southern, passed through this city last night in his private car attached to No. 3.

Engineer Matthews, who was injured in the wreck south of Dayton yesterday, is very much better today, and his condition is not so precarious as at first appeared.

The special train bearing the C., H. & D. officials arrived in Lima last evening about 5 o'clock. An inspection of the work for the new shops was made, after which the party adjourned to the French House, where they were well taken care of by the proprietor, Mr. Breene. The car was transferred to the Pennsylvania road, and at 7 o'clock the party left for Delphos, where they will strike the C. D. & Q. and go to Wellston.

A BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

The Scottish Reformation Last Night at Faurot Opera House.

A Very Enjoyable Entertainment, to be Repeated To-Night.

The initial production of the Scottish Reformation last night was a great success. The entertainment is unique, instructive and altogether pleasing, and reflects much credit upon its enterprising originator, for it proved a skillful levy upon some of the best contributions to art, drama, literature and music. The Reformation in Scotland was an event of such very great importance to the Christian world that its might cannot be overestimated. Rev. R. J. Thomson made an ideal John Knox, and brought out to the best effect the strong points of the sturdy reformer. Miss Frances MacMillan was surely an excellent Queen. She looked beautiful in her queenly robes in the court scene, but especially was she pleasing in the execution scene. The entire company of local participants did credit to themselves and their many friends who were present. Mrs. H. E. Monroe's lecture is a historical review of the lives of Knox and Queen Mary, the views illustrating her lecture are especially fine and the lecturer has a pleasing voice and manner and holds her auditors in rapt attention from first to last. The costumes are elegant and much above the average used for entertainments. Taken as a whole, the entertainment was a great success. Where all were so good it would be invidious to make distinctions. It is enough to say all who go this evening will be well repaid and will help the Spring Street Lutheran Church, who have brought to Lima this entertainment of unusual interest and beauty.

The lecturer announced last evening that the entertainment would begin promptly at 8 o'clock this evening.

To the Mothers of Lima.

I see that the W. C. T. U. have called a public meeting for all women, whether members of that society or not. The call says the meeting is in the moral interests of the city and its people: as the larger portion of its people are its women and children, I presume this meeting will be of special interest to them. The W. C. T. U. is not a secret order. There is nothing secret about their meetings, and they are open at all times to sisters. It is a society of Christian women, banded together to help lift humanity from the darkness of sin and the misery that word implies. Their motto is to work "For God and home and every land," and I think they could do more for this particular part of the land, Lima, if the other Christian women in our various churches would obey the advice of St. Paul and come forth and help these women.

And now, mothers, as we have a special invitation to meet with the W. C. T. U. in Berean hall, corner Main and Pine streets, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, let us every one that possibly can be there to help these women in whatever line of good work they wish to counsel with us about. Bring the little children with you if you have no one at home to care for them during your absence.

AN INTERESTED MOTHER.

LEG BROKEN.

Eric Smith Severely Injured in a Fight With Tom Purcell.

Night before last Eric Smith, a young lad living at 783 south Elizabeth street, had his right leg fractured above the ankle in a fight with Tom Purcell, call boy at the L. E. & W. Purcell, according to his own story, only about 17 years of age, had been drinking and the two met on the sidewalk in front of young Smith's home. A quarrel was started about something and blows were struck, and Smith in some way fell and fractured his leg. The latter's older brother then appeared upon the scene and Purcell's face bears evidence of what followed.

No arrests were made but Purcell has agreed to pay Smith's physician's fee.

LUNG TROUBLE

Causes the Death of William Clinton Gerhart.

William Clinton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Gerhart, of 128 north West street, died yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, from congestion of the lungs, after an illness of three days.

Short services will be held over the remains at the residence to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Woodlawn.

THE THEATRE.

Joe Flynn Friday Night—Music Mae Hall All Next Week.

One of the most successful of modern farce comedies is "McSwinty the Sport," which will be seen here Friday night. It is bright, a costumes, music, wit, and right up to date. The story is a good one. The situations are extremely numerous and the fun clean.

JESSIE MAE HALL.

The Jessie Mae Hall Company, a popular priced attraction of unusual merit, has been secured for the week of October 25th at the Faurot Opera House, and will appear in a series of original plays, all of them especially written for this famous little star, presenting an entire change of programme at each performance.

BIMETALLIC MEETINGS

To be Held in Allen County During the Campaign.

The Allen county branch of the Bimetallic League has arranged for meetings during the present campaign as follows:

LAFAYETTE—Tuesday evening, Oct. 26th. Speakers, J. D. Armstrong and Hon. S. S. Yoder.

SPENCERVILLE — Wednesday evening, Oct. 27th. Speakers, Kent Hughes and Hon. S. S. Yoder.

BLUME—Friday evening, Oct. 29. Speakers: C. J. Brotherton and Hon. S. S. Yoder.

DELPHOS — Saturday evening, Oct. 30th. Speakers. C. H. Adkins and Hon. S. S. Yoder.

PERRY CENTER—Monday evening, Nov. 1. Speaker: Hon. S. S. Yoder.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

The divorce of Frank O. Meredith against Catherine J. Meredith, was dismissed to day at the request of the plaintiff's attorneys.

Nellie Dalzell has been appointed guardian for Edgar and Bessie Dalzell and filed her bond of $1,000.

The case of Rosella M. Copus vs. Albert Bentzel, for money, was dismissed yesterday at the cost of the plaintiff.

John H. Meredith and Lena N. Stayner were granted a marriage license to-day.

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A New England Supper

will be served by the Berean ladies in Berean Hall to-morrow from 5 to 9 p. m. Price, 15 cents. 1t

HAD NO FEELING.

Claimed this Fellow Who Posed as a Trance Medium.

But When Bill Jabbed Him With a Pin He Quit Trancing.

Over on the south side, not many evenings ago, an amusing incident occurred at a so-called spiritualistic seance. Great preparations had been made for the "sitting" and a local "fake" who poses as a trance medium was engaged to communicate with the unseen spirit of the mysterious world. Now this fellow might connect with spirits ferment without the slightest trouble, but with the immortal spirits he is evidently unpopular. He claimed that when he went into a trance the spirits controlled him physically and mentally, and that he could realize nothing that was being done about or with him. This might be true in the spirits ferment case but with the unseen spirits—"nix."

The people at whose home the affair was to occur, sent over to Ohio City for a relative to attend and witness the wonders. Well, Bill, or whatever his name was, came over and was told all about how the trance medium had no feeling for anything—except fifty-cent pieces—when controlled by the spirits. The sitting began, lights out, etc., and then Bill, who sat within easy reach of the man so gifted—with gall—said to himself, "B'gosh, I'm goin' to see 'bout this," and taking a good sized pin from the lapel of his coat, he jabbed it several fractions of an inch into the fleshiest part of Mr. Wouldbe medium's anatomy and—the seance was over.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS

To be Held in Allen County During This Campaign.

The following meetings have been arranged by the Democratic County Executive Committee:

PLANKARD SCHOOL HOUSE—Thursday evening, Oct. 21st. Speakers: A. D. Miller, A. S. Graham and O. O. Ludwig.

PERRY CENTER TOWNSHIP HOUSE — Friday evening, Oct. 22d. Speakers: Judge J. E. Richie and John Begg.

BLUFFTON—Friday evening, October 22d. Speakers: S S Yoder, W. G. Brorein and F. F. Leland.

WEST OAIRO—Thursday evening, October 21st. Speakers: C. H. Adkins, J. H. Goeke and W. H. Klinger.

SOUTH LIMA—Friday evening, October 22d. Speakers: Byron Bower J. C. Ridenour and Kent Hughes.

GOMER — Saturday evening, Oct. 23d. Speakers: Daniel Daniels and R. O. Eastman.

ELIDA—Saturday evening, Oct, 23d. Speakers: C. H. Adkins and Theo. D. Robb.

CONANT — Friday evening, Oct. 22d. Speakers: C. H. Adkins, W. J. Richie and U. M. Shappell.

CAMEL BACK SCHOOL HOUSE —Wednesday evening, October 27th. Speakers: D. E. Baxter, M. L. Becker and B. F. Welty.

MOWERY SCHOOL HOUSE — Saturday evening, Oct. 23d. Speakers: J. H. Berryman, J. N. Hutchison and John H. Kistte.

A cordial invitation is extended to all persons to attend these meetings and hear the issues of the campaign discussed fairly and impartially by speakers who are well informed upon all the questions involved in it.

A Trio of Births.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Newt Pangle, a fine boy.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Connelley, of north West street, a big boy baby.

Born—to conductor and Mrs. Calvin Storr, of 212 north Union street, a twelve-pound boy.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

The South Lima band deny that Sam Fletcher is connected with them in any manner. His band was known as the Military band, and during its career he was drum major. But it died and Samuel laid aside his tall cap and baton and retired into private life. The Hall-Lewis people say he will remain in that capacity, but Fletcher and his friends insist that immediately after election he will commence drawing a salary as postmaster in Lima.

Plenty

of good fish and oysters at Kissel's.

As to the Price of a Dog.

There was a dog show in a southern town several years ago, and a New York man carried a lot of setters and pointers down to compete. The dogs were the best on exhibition, and the New Yorker provided a pedigree for each of them as long as his arm. He knew how to handle them, and they took most of the prizes.

Two of the local sportsmen took a fancy to one of the dogs, and in the end paid a large price for it—about $500, it was thought by their friends—but they would never tell what the sum was. The pointer was sent from place to place in the hope that it would take prizes, as the New Yorker had represented it to be one of the finest animals in the country, but it never came in for so much as "highly commended." Within a few months it died without leaving so much as a puppy to mourn at its grave in the turnip patch.

Nobody could find out what had been paid for the dog some months afterward one of the purchasers was at Niagara with a friend who had been waiting for a chance to get the information. Each had taken many cocktails, and finding the roar of the river a burden they wandered away from it and sat down on a log. The friend thought his time had come. He put his arm affectionately on the other's shoulder and steadied him.

"Say, Frank, old man," he said, "what did you and Eustace give for that dog anyhow?"

The other rose to his feet with determination.

"Well, John," he said, "I may be full, but I'm hanged if I'm drunk enough to tell you that."

And no one knows yet.—New York Sun.

Clever With the Cards.

Some years ago a certain county jail was undergoing extensive alterations, during which time a gang of pickpockets, four in number, were arrested one market day.

Owing to the alterations, the lot were confined for a time in one cell, but were placed under strict surveillance, the care of them being specially intrusted to the sergeant.

The day after, during his rounds, he spied them playing cards, when he promptly opened the door and summoned a fellow constable, on whose arrival the cell and the prisoners were most carefully searched, but no cards were found.

However, the card playing still continued until the day on which the pickpockets were to be sent to the assizes for trial.

While awaiting their change of quarters the superintendent took them into his private room, saying he wanted to speak with them.

Which he got them to do, being a very kind man and a great favorite with every one, he asked them as a favor to tell him where they had hidden the cards.

Then they told him that as soon as the sergeant and his comrade entered their cell they stuck the pack in his pocket and picked it again before he left, as a proof of which they presented him with the much used pack.—Pearson's Weekly.

Croker's Eloquent Proxy.

There is one place in this country where they think Richard Croker is a great orator. It is in Utah.

"I never made a speech in my life," said Mr. Croker, "except by proxy. At the Democratic national convention of 1888, held in St. Louis, there were contesting delegations from Utah. One of these delegations was for Cleveland and the other against him. Naturally our sympathies were with the latter. When the Utah fellows asked some of our men to have Croker present at the meeting of the committee on credentials to make a speech in their favor, our fellows promised, thinking to play a joke on me. But I sent another man to speak for me. He was introduced as Croker, and as he was not known at all there every one was fooled. The speech he made them was a rattler, and it carried everything before it like a storm. To this day out in Utah they think I am a great orator."

"Who was the man that spoke for you?"

"Bourke Cockran."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Baboo English.

The strong headache which I felt that day made me somewhat epileptic in my bodily system and would not allow me to recover my senses, which were three sheets in the wind before closing the mail, which I did anyhow or other.

Office cat, by reason of death of rats, daily growing lean. Will superintendent please increase the contingent allowance for her restoration to strongness?

I am willing to undergo any punishment you give me, for they will be useful to me in future. Patrons should not save their rods for spoiling their children.—St. Martin's le Grand.

An Infallible Sign.

"How do you know that his love dream is over?"

"Because I heard him tell Hetty as they left church last night that he knew a shorter way of reaching her home than the route they had been taking."—Detroit Free Press.

Progressive Resignation.

People at 20 state a half dozen impositions that they would never stand; at 40 they find themselves patiently bearing twice the number and thankful they are not more.—Atchison Globe.

Love's Rod.

"Mamma, why do you whip me?"

"It is because I love you, Bobbie."

"Well, mamma, I wish you wouldn't love me so much."—Brooklyn Life.

Not Necessary.

Bess—Did you give him any encouragement?

Maude—You don't know Jack, do you?—Chicago News.

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Tinsel Fabrics and the More Costly Brocades of Gold and Silver.

Tinsel fabrics are the lower priced of the cloths into which gold or silver threads have been woven. In tinsel fabrics the gold threads are of brass or copper, gilded, and the silver threads are of white metal. Those threads of metal, originally fine wire, are rolled flat and burnished, and they glisten in the fabric wherever the pattern brings them to the surface. Tinsel fabrics are made about three-fourths of a yard in width, and they sell at 75 cents to $2.50 a yard. They come in various colors, and many of them are beautiful and artistic in design. Some are copies of old Venetian tapestries. Tinsel fabrics are used for church and for theatrical purposes and sometimes for gowns and for decorative purposes.

The costlier fabrics, with interwoven metal threads, are called gold and silver brocades. In these the gold threads are of silver, gold plated, and the silver threads are of pure silver; the body of the fabric is of silk. The brocades are all beautiful, and many of them are exceedingly so. These fabrics are made about five-eighths of a yard in width, and they sell at various prices up to $25 and sometimes as high as $50 a yard. The costliest of these fabrics are very rarely imported into this country, brocades at $10 and $12 a yard being about the highest priced used here. If more elaborate fabrics are required, they are usually imported to order. The finer fabrics, with metal threads, are made in France, the commoner kinds in Germany.

Gold and silver brocades are here used almost exclusively for church purposes and chiefly for vestments. They are imported in violet and green and also in black with silver threads, the black and silver being for mourning. Gold and silver brocades are also used to a limited extent for decorative purposes.

Such fabrics and gold embroidery, often of the costliest description, are far more commonly used in Europe than here both for church and for military purposes.—New York Sun.

Brakemen and Grammar.

Apropos of a recent order that brakemen shall speak grammatically and distinctly, an official of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad says: "We wish our men to use good language. It makes a great difference with us whether a man uses good grammar or speaks as though he had never attended even a district school. In order that there may be no confusion, we have ordered conductors to tell brakemen to say, 'The next station is Chicago.' Our brakemen do not make many mistakes in grammar, but we cannot help it if a man is a foreigner and makes a mistake in pronunciation. The trainmen understand that their services are appreciated more when they know how to announce stations properly."

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BREVITIES

PERSONAL CHATS.

Lord Charles Beresford is said to be the most popular man in the English navy.

String Beans runs a laundry in Phœnix, A. T. He has every indication of being a Chinaman.

William Turner, the champion chicken picker of the world, lives in the village of Lynbrook, N. Y., and as a test of his skill plucked the feathers from a large hen in 11 2-5 seconds.

Captain Francis Martin of Detroit claims to be the only living man who saw Napoleon's funeral. Captain Martin is 97 years old and has sailed into nearly every port on the globe.

Mme. Herrmann, the widow of the magician, has commissioned W. Parks, a Chicago sculptor, to execute a statue of her late husband. His model, which was recently furnished, is pronounced unusually true to life.

Sir John Mowbray, Bart., M. P. for Oxford university, has just celebrated his golden wedding. Both his parents and grandparents lived to celebrate theirs, the common married life continuing in one case for 59 and in the other for 57 years.

Chief Inspector Jarvis, the head of the English detective department at Scotland Yard, has resigned from the force after 26 years' service. No British police officer is better known in the United States, and he served for a time on the New York force.

Professor Max Muller repeats in Cosmopolis the extraordinary story of Alexander von Humboldt's habits of sleep. "As I get old," Humboldt said to him, "I want more sleep—four hours at least. When I was young, two hours of sleep were quite enough for me."

A number of Russian lady admirers of Dr. Nansen are, it is said, preparing for the arctic explorer a somewhat unique gift, consisting of a carpet with a map of the north pole regions embroidered in silks. The places visited by him in his famous voyage will be worked in silver and gold thread.

Joseph Jefferson, the veteran comedian, is now a great-grandfather. His great-grandson is the child of Mr. and Mrs. Glen MacDonough. Mr. MacDonough, who is well known as a dramatist, married Miss Margaret Jefferson, the daughter of Mr. Charles B. Jefferson, the actor's son, last September.

Henry Labouchere writes from Homburg that taking the waters is "more or less bosh." He thinks he could cure most of the people there if permitted to "tie them up to a table with a string, as you would a dog when he has got his stomach out of order, and keep them from eating and drinking for a week or two."

The late Senator Doolittle began his speech before the Springfield (Ills.) convention which nominated Lincoln as follows: "I believe in the God Almighty, and under him I believe in Abraham Lincoln, his integrity and patriotism." The cheers which greeted this were so tumultuous that he was forced to sit down.

TURF TALK.

Bouncer, 2:10, is reported lame.

Satin Slippers' mark is now 2:09.

Rosa Wilkes' record is now 2:05¼.

Bush, 2:10¼, is but 14.3 hands high.

The pacing team record is now 2:09 flat.

Que Allen has lowered his record to 2:09¾.

Crescens will not be a starter in the Transylvania.

Fantasy, 2:06, will be bred to Dare Devil, 2:12½.

Warren Boy, 2:21¼, has been added to the list of geldings.

Nowaday's third heat in 2:16¼ is the fastest ever trotted by a 2-year-old.

Frank Patchen, by Jo Patchen, 2:01½, has lowered his record to 2:19¼.

A match between the two Philadelphia trotters Allan Dare, 2:13¼, and Roseline, 2:15½, is being agitated.

Ed A. Tipton says that Chehalis, 2:07¼, can pace any "parlor track" in 2:04 and three times better than 2:06.

Lady Moyra, 2:16¼, met Gus Waibal, 2:17¾, and Will Leyburn, 2:18¼, in the 2-year-old pace at Terre Haute.

Klamath is slated to meet Jasper Ayres and Zombro in the free for all trot at the coming Los Angeles meeting.

Sunland Belle, who jumped into the 2:10 list recently with a mark of 2:08¼, is one of the best bred of pacing mares.

Pathmont, 2:09¼, paced a mile at Tacoma recently in 2:15¼, which is the fastest mile ever made in the state of Washington by a harness horse.—Horse Review.

NOVELTIES.

Very pretty are the small enameled writing tables with spindle legs.

Brier and meerschaum pipes with amber mouthpieces and gold rims are popular as gifts for men.

Rich colors and Spanish decorations distinguish the mantel ornaments, plaques and jugs in the Hispano-Moresque ware.

Floral spoons enameled in natural colors are dainty and attractive. As a rule the flower is represented in the bowl of the spoon and the stems and leaves on the handle.

A little mirror which folds into a handle after the manner of a lorgnette and hangs as the empire hand mirror is conveniently carried in one's pocket, or when made in gold or silver and enriched with jewels it may be worn on a chatelaine.—Jewelers' Circular.

PEOPLE OF THE COUNTRY.

Few of Them Seem to Have Learned Anything Noble From Nature.

[illegible] of our [illegible] to think we [illegible] country people who live near to nature's heart. [illegible] Mrs. Lyman Abbott in The [illegible] the first of a series of "Peaceful Valley" papers which picture life in an ideal rural community. But in it many of them, she says, "seem to have learned anything noble from nature. Her beauty does not refine them, her honesty does not incite them to thoroughness, her free handedness does not inspire them to generosity—they become narrow and sordid in the midst of grandeur and liberality. They imagine there can be nothing in life but work or play, toil or rest, and they feel a contempt for those who play and rest. They have never learned to mingle work and play, toil and rest in due proportion, and they cease to find any pleasure in life unless they abandon work altogether. Like the tired woman who wrote her own epitaph, they fancy heaven a place where they can 'do nothing forever and ever.'

"This view of life makes loafers in the village as it makes them in the cities. When a different spirit has found room to grow, a new order of living prevails. Life becomes something more than a slow grinding of the mill, more than a burden, to be endured only because it cannot be at will laid down. It becomes a luxury as well as a necessity. Individuals combine, not for their own advantage, but to multiply benefactions, and as strength increases by its right use, the attainment of one worthy and ambitious advantage is only the suggestion and achievement of another."

LACK ORIGINALITY.

Why Many Criminals Are Easily Brought to Justice.

"One reason why detectives appear to do something miraculous occasionally is that there is after all very little originality in criminals," said one of Chief Hazen's sleuthhounds recently.

"When a man sets out to get money by crooked means, he seldom sits down and evolves a new plan. On the contrary, he evidently thinks of the smart cases he has heard of at different times, makes up his mind which suits him best and copies the plan adopted very closely indeed.

"Hence, when the detective sets out, he has, in many instances, quite a string of precedents to take as guides to the course the criminal will probably pursue.

"One case, years ago, that helped me immensely in the business, was a forgery. The man had disappeared and left no clew whatever behind.

"I obtained access to his room and found that he had developed a partiality for cutting scraps from newspapers. There was a whole drawerful of these, and I went through them carefully.

"Several had relation to forgery cases, and one cutting that appeared to be pretty badly fingered described how a forger had got away in woman's attire.

"I worked on the theory that my bird had flown in this manner and followed it up until I finally got on the track and captured the criminal.

"The capture was regarded as a very remarkable one, but, as a matter of fact, the runaway had left for me an exceedingly valuable clew. If he had taken the precaution to burn that cutting, he might have escaped capture altogether."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"How" Used For "That."

Dr. Holmes wrote half a century ago, "Don't, let me beg of you—don't say 'how' for 'what,'" and "Please don't say 'how' for 'that'" is the wail of the sensitive reader of today. If an American, he is likely to ascribe the reigning fancy for the sin to Mr. Howells, who has taken to it with his usual ferocity, possibly because long practice on his own signature makes the adverb easier for him to write than the conjunction.

Lately the word has begun to infest the writings of English politicians, possibly as a result of association with the Irish members of parliament, for "he said how he was going" is a literal translation of the Gaelic equivalent of "he said that he was going." But the worst instance of its use appears in a letter written by the Hon. Auberon Herbert to the editor of the London News, and, misusing the word 16 times in 40 lines, Connemara's self could do no more.—New York Times.

A Human Bloodhound.

In Abyssinia they have a very picturesque fashion of identifying thieves. There is an official nominated for the purpose in each district. Upon receiving information of a robbery he gives his confidential servant a dose of certain herbs, afterward a pipe of tobacco.

The man drinks and then smokes. In due course he begins to rave and to crawl about on hands and knees. Then the thief catcher puts a rope about his loins, and on all fours he perambulates the neighborhood, sniffing like a hound, enters a house at last and goes to sleep upon the floor. That is legal evidence of the owner's guilt.

He has to pay the value of the stolen goods or to "square" the thief catcher, which, as a rule, comes to much the same thing.

The Small Unwashed.

The Lapp baby belongs to the class of the small unwashed. When its mother is in a particularly neat frame of mind, she daubs fat on it, and that is all the bathing that the youngster is likely to get, as it outgrows fondling and fat dubbing in time.

A Massachusetts soldier was the first to lose a leg in the civil war. He enlisted April 30, 1861, and 20 days later his leg was crushed by the fall of a stack of his own company's muskets in the capitol rotunda at Washington.

SHRINKAGE OF GRAIN.

Estimates Based on Experiments With Stored Wheat, Oats and Corn.

Forty years ago this statement was published in an agricultural exchange: "Wheat from thrashing time for the next six months shrinks 6 per cent. That gives the shrinkage about two quarts per bushel, and the shrinkage of ear corn is 20 to 30 per cent in six months. Last winter the same account of the shrinkage of grain was published in an Ohio exchange not being changed a particle from the article published 40 years ago. A correspondent of The Prairie Farmer, after calling attention to the foregoing, writes:

I have always claimed that any article written for the press should be known facts to be of any value and based upon tested experiment for a series of years by weighing when stored and weighing when sold. For the past ten years I have been experimenting to learn the facts as to the exact amount of shrinkage in weight of grain by storage and find the following facts by weighing: Clover seed from time of thrashing, if in good condition when stored, will in 12 months gain 1 per cent in weight.

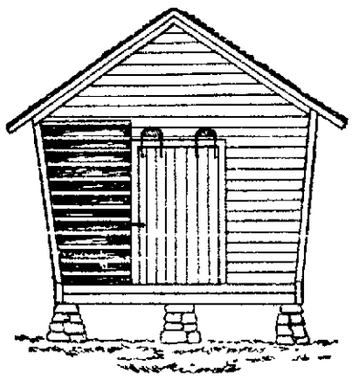
Two years ago I weighed three sacks of wheat as it came from the thrashing machine. The wheat was in good condition, and the three sacks weighed 405 pounds. They were placed in the wheat bin where nothing could disturb them, and they were reweighed April 1, making eight months in storage, and they weighed 405 pounds, showing no shrinkage. There may be a loss by wastage, but not in weight.

The first day of August, 1894, I filled ten burlap sacks with oats as they came from the thrashing machine. Each sack was weighed separately, a card was sewed on each one stating weight, and the total weight of the ten sacks of oats was 1,272 pounds. The ten sacks of oats were reweighed Jan. 1, 1895, and weighed 1,316 pounds, a gain in weight of 44 pounds, showing a gain of 3½ per cent. I assure you this was a surprise to me, but I called to mind that there had been no rain from the time they were heading until they were thrashed. In years of abundance of rain during growth and ripening I think there would be less gain.

It is the general opinion that corn shrinks more from time of husking in the fall up to May than any other farm product, many farmers say from 10 to 20 per cent. In the fall of 1895 I commenced my experiments to test the shrinkage. I filled a large sack full of ear corn the 9th of November, 1895, the day it was husked. A card was sewed on the sack giving date of weighing and weight, which was 153½ pounds. I reweighed it April 1, 1896, making nearly five months, and it weighed 154 pounds, showing one-half pound gain in the five months. The fall was a remarkably dry fall, and early varieties of corn were fully matured and dry, especially the small cob varieties, and this corn was of that kind. Large ear corn, and especially large cob varieties, during a wet fall will shrink from 5 to 6 per cent. This has been my experience by weighing.

Inexpensive Cornerib.

The accompanying sketch from Country Gentleman shows an end elevation of a building, which if built 12 by 30 feet, 8 feet to top of plate, will allow an alley 5 feet in width and give storage capacity at either side for corn and grain. It might be well to carry the slatting across the back end of the building and thus allow for filling in more ear corn should more space be needed. It is suggested that the cornerib be provided with a false bottom, built in sections to be taken out as the corn is removed, for this will allow circulation of air under the corn. Steps may be provided which will pull out and drop down into place or may be raised or shoved under the building to allow a wagon to drive close to the doorway. If in building you use several ties, a light scaffolding placed upon them would enable you to store away many empty potato crates and the like, which might take considerable space and yet are light.



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This special crib was made to meet the requirements of a farmer who wanted an inexpensive crib to hold on one side sufficient corn on the cob to produce about 12 tons of cracked corn, and to have on the other side bins for whole corn, cracked corn, cornmeal and a small quantity of wheat, rye and buckwheat in separate bins. In the cut the shaded portion is slatted; the rest is inclosed with novelty siding.

Wintering Bees.

R. F. Holtermann, Ontario experiment farm, describes a number of experiments relating to wintering, feeding, comb foundation and five banded Italian bees. Relative to wintering it is said it has been his custom to winter in a cellar, and that the loss sustained from this mode of wintering has averaged between 3 and 4 per cent. From his experiments he concludes that it will not pay to extract honey from hives with a view to making a profit and then supply the bees with sirup for wintering.

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Up a Tree.

Woman—Come down out of that tree, you rascal! I'll tell your father that you are stealing my apples.

Boy—All right, tell him now, for he's up here in the tree with me.—Comic Cuts.

During the Yellow Fever Scare.

There was an alarm of fire the other night. A clerk of one of the local hotels, being told the fire was in the immediate neighborhood, pushed the button for the porter.

"I wish you would wake up the guests, Joe."

"Yes, sah. I would like to, sah, but he ain't dun gone to bed."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Whole Thing.

Haydn, who was a famous glutton, once landed in Dover with an empty stomach and ordered dinner for four at a tavern. When it was ready to be served, the waiter inquired about the company. "Company!" said the composer. "I am the gompany."—Argonaut.

Practice Economy

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Mrs. Jones Indulges in Sarcasm.

Mrs. Jones—John, can you let me have $5 this morning?

Mr. Jones—What do you want it for?

Mrs. Jones—Oh, I just thought I'd separate from you and live on the interest of it luxuriously ever after.—*N. Y. Journal.*

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Via C., H. & D. Ry. The C., H. & D. are now selling tickets to Nashville at very low rates, as follows:

Tickets good to return until Nov. 7th $15.40; tickets good to return until 30 day from date, $13.55; tickets good to return until 10 days from date, $9.85. The 10 day tickets are on sale Tuesday and Thursday of each week. Others on sale daily.

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H. J. McGuire, Ticket Agent.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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John O. Haim, Plaintiff, vs. George M. Haim et al., Defendants. } Allen Probate Court.

By virtue of a writ of sale, issued from the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, A. D. 1897

Between the hours of 1 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements situate in Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number eleven hundred and twenty-three (1123) in Miller's extended addition to the City of Lima, Ohio, as shown on the plat of the same as filed in the office of the county recorder of Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $3,300.00.

Terms of sale—⅓ cash, ⅓ in one year and ⅓ in two years from day of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by mortgage on premises.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, October 12th, 1897.

Hamilton & Bentley, plaintiff's attorneys.

Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of the order of the probate court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1897,

at 1 o'clock p. m., at the east door of the court house in said county and state, the following described real estate, to wit:

A part of the east half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine (29), township three (3) south range seven (7) east, described as follows: Beginning at a point marked by a peg in the center of the Findlay road 1380 feet in a northeasterly direction from a stone where the center line of north Sugar street in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, crosses the center line of said Findlay road, thence north 1621 feet, thence east 1320 feet, thence south 1267 feet, thence along the center line of the Findlay road in a southwesterly direction 1320 feet, to the point of beginning, containing 42.26/100 acres of land, more or less.

Appraised at $1901.25.

Terms of sale—cash.

JOHN M. BOOSE, Trustee, Peter M. Boose estate.

Jason G. Lamison, attorney for John M. Boose.

Legal Notice.

Frank M. Lochhead, Plaintiff, vs. Saddie Logan, Defendant. } In the Court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio.

Saddie Logan whose place of residence is in the city of Huntington, Huntington county, Indiana, will take notice that on the 7th day of October, 1897, Frank M. Lochhead duly filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, case No. 11188 his affidavit in attachment for amount claimed, seventy five dollars and fifty four cents ($75.54) with interest from the 25th day of July, 1896, on an account for groceries sold and delivered and for an attachment against inlot number nineteen hundred and twenty five (1925) Reece's addition to the city of Lima and for the sale of attached property.

Said Saddie Logan is required to answer on or before the 6th day of November, 1897, or a decree will be taken against her.

FRANK M. LOCHHEAD, By Motter & Mackenzie his attorneys.

Legal Notice.

Nellie O. Doute, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1897, James L. Doute filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, being case No. 9317, praying a divorce from said Nellie O. Doute on the ground of gross neglect of duty and fraud, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after November 20th, 1897.

JAMES L. DOUTE, Plaintiff.

By Copeland & Rogers, Attorneys.

Lima, O., Oct. 15, 1897. 10-15-6w

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Nancy J. Collins, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Nancy J. Collins, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of October, A. D. 1897.

J. H. FOLSOM, Administrator.

Motter & Mackenzie, attorneys. 10-19-4wks

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Patrick Sheridan, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Patrick Sheridan, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 5th day of October, A. D. 1897.

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Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Jonathan Fisher, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the will of Jonathan Fisher, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 29th day of Sept., A. D. 1897.

9-30-3w M. O. MUMAUGH

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Wasted Indignation.

The man with the flushed face and the bald head grew more and more uneasy as he sat at the restaurant table. He tried to read a newspaper, but every now and then would drop it, adjust his glasses and glare up and down the room to find the waiter to whom he had given his order. At last he managed to detain him, at the risk of being scalded by the soup he carried, and inquired:

"How about that dinner I ordered?"

"It will be here immediately, sir," was the answer.

The guest tried to read his newspaper once more, but as time passed his uneasiness increased until he was glaring up and down the room as fiercely as ever. He found his waiter again, and the same conversation was repeated. After two or three more similar attempts he arose and went over to another waiter who was gracefully leaning against a pillar.

"Look here," said the guest, "I want to know something."

"Yes," responded the waiter.

"What I want to know is this: Am I ever going to get any dinner, and, if I do get it, when will it be?"

The languid young man looked at him and replied:

"Excuse me. I'm afraid you have made a mistake. I am only a waiter, not a prophet."—Detroit Free Press.

The Enemy Is Ours!

The grippe usually leaves the sufferer in a very feeble condition, with a persistent cough and other premonitory symptoms of pulmonary affection. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup promptly administered at the beginning of an attack of grippe, will forestall that dangerous enemy to life—consumption. Mrs. Maggie Tulga, Ironton, Ohio, says: "It affords me much pleasure to bear testimony to the merits of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. I had been a sufferer from the grippe for a week, I tried a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and after taking it, was completely cured of the dreadful cough and disease. I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is sold everywhere for 25 cents.

PLEASURE IN EXERCISE.

Every Effort That Brings a Sense of Satisfaction Is Beneficial.

In an article entitled "Grace and Health" in The Woman's Home Companion Florence Hull Winterburn says:

"There is one law of health that needs to be earnestly recommended to our latter day disciples of physical culture who are making hard exercise a hobby, and not only to them, but to all tired people, worn out by conscientious endeavors to make their bodies keep up with their energetic minds. The rule is simply this: Every effort that is followed by more discomfort than gratification is hurtful. An effort may be disagreeable at the moment, but pleasant in reaction, either physically, as when an enjoyable glow comes after a cold plunge, or mentally, in the exhilaration following the overcoming of difficulties, which is one of the most agreeable sensations that can be experienced. But any exertion that taxes either body or mind more than it pays back in satisfaction takes away from the general vitality and consequently is destructive to health and life.

"This would seem at once to lay under the ban much of our necessary work which involves efforts that no imagination can cover with a rose colored drapery. The monotony that is part of all business occupations, the drudgery essential to the care of a household, even some of the offices of the nursery, tenderly as they may be regarded by the eyes of love, are all things to be endured and lived through for the sake of the end, but hardly to be enjoyed in the doing.

"Yet if the end makes up in pleasure for the pangs of effort, memory swiftly sweeps our trouble into the background and we are the better off for work that has the germ of refreshment hidden under hardship. The 'struggle for existence' is a boon to the survivor not only in mere life, but in larger powers, more assured courage and loftier ambitions. If the goal is finally reached, what matters the bleeding feet, the strained muscles and blinded eyes? 'Life is a fight,' says the business man and goes on with his prospering schemes, bold with the courage that is 'the memory of past successes.'

"Bootless labors are terrible, and if work itself was always hard and distasteful life would be very bitter to most of us. But it need not be so. There is a way of getting a certain advantage as we go along, so that if we miss the aim we have set our heart on we shall at least secure peace. Nature, who is a kind mother after all, as well as a rigid economist, has arranged that all our movements which conduce to any certain end and are an essential part of a complete act shall not only cost us the minimum of discomfort, but shall be actually agreeable, as gratifying that sense of harmony and fitness that is innate in us."

Two Ways.

There is a good deal of comfort to be found with the people who are, as the phrase goes, "like our folks." The Congregationalist furnishes an instance in point, relative to the old and new way of giving out church notices:

An old fashioned clergyman had been in the habit of making the announcements in his most punctilious manner. Each one was couched in some such language as this:

"If it be in accordance with the will of Divine Providence, there will be a meeting in this house this evening. The subject will be 'Scripture Promises,' and there will be a short address by the pastor, no unforeseen accident preventing."

When his successor arrived every one supposed that the old order of things would probably continue unbroken, but the congregation involuntarily drew a breath of relief when the pastor remarked, in a pleasant, conversational tone:

"I haven't yet decided whether or not it's advisable to continue the evening meetings during the coming month. Tany rate, we'll hold one tonight, and let's all try to be there."

A Mystery of the Heavens.

There is a curious light in the sky which only a keen eye can detect and which few astronomers even have ever seen, but which Professor E. E. Barnard, who five years ago discovered the fifth satellite of Jupiter, has been studying for many years. His latest account of it comes from the new Yerkes observatory. It is a faint patch, roughly circular, several degrees in diameter and keeping always in that part of the heavens which is directly opposite to the sun. The stars shine through it as they do through a comet's tail. German astronomers have given to this strange light the name of the gegenschein. Precisely what causes it remains to be determined.—Youth's Companion.

Keeping to the Left.

Out of all the European countries only Austria and Great Britain have the rule that all travelers on the roadway must keep to the left.

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HUMOR AND ITS USES.

It Is the Sunshine of the World, but May Be Overworked.

"Humor is the very sunshine of the world," writes Carrie E. Garrett in The Woman's Home Companion. "Hardly any other single gift will go so far to refresh and inspire one in everyday life and keep the heart still young. It steals merrily across the workaday world, animating the drearest monotony and finding place in the most hopeless destiny. Such a gay traveling companion is humor for the pilgrimage of life.

"The woman with a sense of humor has a safeguard against ennui, against folly and against despair. She can never be dull so long as the comedy of life is being played before her eyes. With a keen sense of the ridiculous she is not likely to 'make a fool of herself,' and she will never be hopelessly unhappy, for she will find in the most adverse fate something still to laugh at,-and after all laughter is your true alchemist. However it may be with the unmusical person, surely the surly individual who cannot laugh spontaneously on occasions is 'fit for treasons, strategems and spoils.'

"But this blessed gift of humor should be used to lift the shadows of life, not to deepen them. A joke which causes another a pang of humiliation or makes some sensitive heartache is not only a cruel sort of amusement, but it is also a very expensive indulgence. For just a moment's gratification at having made a 'hit' the 'funny woman' may forever lose a friend and may even arouse a very genuine spirit of enmity. We learn to forgive and mayhap forget many injuries in life's troubled journey, but perhaps among the wounds that rankle longest in the human heart are those which are made 'only in fun.'"

Hurt No One and No One Hurt Him.

At the battle of Chickamauga I saw a fellow shooting straight up in the air and praying as lustily as ever one of Cromwell's roundheads prayed.

The Presbyterians of 1646 prayed loud and sang hymns in battle, but they shot straight at the cavaliers every time. This fellow was blazing away at the sky, and when Lieutenant Killingworth remonstrated with him about it he paid no attention to him whatever. Captain Joe Billingsley threatened to cut him down with his sword if he didn't shoot at the enemy, for the woods in front were full of them. He merely remarked to the captain, "You can kill me if you want to, but I am not going to appear before my God with the blood of my fellow man on my soul."

He never flinched, but stood squarely up, exposed to every volley of the enemy's fire. When the sun set on the evening of Sept. 18, 1863, Captain J. C. Billingsley and Lieutenant Allen Killingworth both lay dead on the battlefield of Chickamauga, and R—— went through without a scratch.—Cor. Galveston News.

The Editor's Own Poetry.

Editor (to old schoolmate)—It hurts me, old fellow, to wound your feelings, but really we are so overstocked with poetry that it's useless to read yours. We can only accept what shows unmistakable genius.

Old Schoolmate—Well, just read that poem and tell me what you think of it.

Editor (having read the poem)—It is as I feared; the poem shows no promise whatever. Pardon me, but it is simply absurd.

Old Schoolmate (with a broad grin)—That's just what I thought. It's a copy of some verses you wrote in my autograph album while we were at school together.—Pearson's Weekly.

Working Women's Home Association.

21 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11, 1896.

Our Working Woman's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tar six years ago, and are using it to-day. It has always been a favorite, for while its taste is not at all unpleasant its effects are very beneficial. It has never yet disappointed us. Wishing you all possible success, sincerely yours, LAURA G. FIXON, Mgr.

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Her Dilemma.

"It's real mean!" the young woman exclaimed.

"What's the matter?" her mother inquired.

"Before I married Herbert I made him promise to pass every evening at home with me, and now he says he's sorry he can't take me to the theater without breaking his word."—London Fun.

"An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup prevents consumption by curing colds, and all similar lung troubles.

Had Catarrh 36 Years.

Josiah Bacon, conductor on the P. W. & B. R. R., says. "I had suffered with catarrh for 36 years and regarded my case as hopeless. One day I saw the testimonial of Geo. H. Hearn in a Brazilian Balm circular. Hearn was the engineer on my train and I knew his case was desperate. I talked with Hearn and his cure gave me hope. I began the use of the Balm at once. There was not much change for the first two months but then I began to improve and in six months, to my inexpressible satisfaction, I was entirely cured."

A GREAT GAME PARK.

Twenty-six Thousand New Hampshire Acres Fenced In For a Preserve.

Mr. G. O. Ferris contributes an article on "Wild Animals in a New England Game Park" to The Century. Mr. Ferris says [illegible] the late Austin Corbin's New Hampshire preserve:

Blue Mountain Forest park, as the preserve is called, includes parts of four townships and lies near the enterprising borough of Newport, on the Concord and Claremont branch of the Boston and Maine railroad. It is said to be the biggest game park in the world, except one owned by the Duke of Sutherland in Scotland and one or two royal demesnes on the continent. Of course, in making comparisons, one must exclude those immense public preserves, as big as provinces, where the British government of India seeks to save the elephant from extinction, and our own national parks in the west.

The name of Blue mountain attaches to the entire spur of hills which bisects the park, while Croydon designates its highest shoulder, rising to the height of nearly 3,000 feet. The steep and densely wooded heights of Croydon, curving like a hump, break the sky line in the shape of a camel's back. Near by a skirting canyon opens a carriage route across the mountain. In characteristics it belongs rather to the Green mountain than to the White mountain range, though it seems disconnected from both. The verdure of an immense forest of spruce, fir, hemlock, pine, birch, beech and maple infolds it to the crest, with here and there a brown patch of clearing. The greater part of the Corbin inclosure consists of abandoned farms, many of them already beginning to bristle with saplings, for the woods are on the march. Dismantled houses, with windows and doors gaping like holes in a skull; ramshackle barns rotten and weather stained, the wreck of stone fences thickset with brambles—these meet the eye at every turn.

The general outline of the park is that of an ellipse, with respective diameters of about 4½ and 11 miles, and the surface is cut diagonally by a backbone of mountain running northeast. The lower slopes and the meadow levels are diversified with brooks and swamp land, while extensive groves of second growth profusely dot the surface. It is in these that the wild swine, the progenitors of which clashed their tusks against the boar spears of mediæval kings and barons, root and propagate their kind with a fecundity which is a marvel to the keepers.

One can scarcely grasp the bigness of the park by figures, but let the reader fancy a demesne considerably more than double the size of Boston and all its suburbs; 30 times the area of Central park, New York; almost 10 times bigger than Fairmount park, Philadelphia, or 14 times the acreage of the whole park system of Chicago. Roads, many of them thoroughfares of days gone by, variously intersect the inclosure, and an excellent carriage track crosses the park from east to west through the picturesque notch. On the western side the declivity is more sloping and open, but has the same agreeable diversity of scene.

A wire fence, partly mesh, partly barbed, nearly 8 feet in height and 27 miles in circuit, confines the four footed tenants within its steel barrier. The same posts which support the fence until the trees which have been set shall have grown to take their place string a telephone connecting the nine substations at the different gates with the central station, the home of the superintendent, the Corbin villa and the town of Newport. The keepers and other employees of the park vary from 25 to 50, according to the season of the year. It need scarcely be said that the needs of attendance compel a vigilance which never rests. Merely to watch the fence, lest it should have parted somewhere by accident or wanton malice, requires an inspection twice a week.

Appetite For Breakfast.

There are many who desire a good appetite for breakfast, and we are afraid it is the minority who possess it. It is to the latter, then, we should like to offer a few suggestions. For those who can control their meal hours and who are not obliged to retire so late as to make late rising imperative attention to two or three apparently trifling things will almost invariably insure a good breakfast appetite. Do not eat heartily very late in the evening. Rise half an hour or more before the breakfast hour and drink a glass of cold water. This helps to dissolve and wash away the mucus, and, by distending the stomach, prepares it to receive food later on. Engage, if possible, in some light work in the few minutes before the meal is ready. Observing these simple things, you will find yourself in a condition to digest almost anything unless your system is radically out of gear.—New York Ledger.

At this moment thousands of men are standing at the cross roads of life. Death in the guise of a foolish ambition coaxes them to take one road while health and happiness in the form of wife and babies coax them to take the other. For the sake of a few added dollars will they continue to over-work and neglect the commonest precautions for the preservation of health or will they listen to love and reason and draw back before it is too late? A man may do almost any amount of good, hard work if he will take care of his health and when he feels out of sorts will take the right remedy.

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Westward.

	8	15	2	39	7
	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Pittsb'gh . lv	*7 00	*6 30	*1 35		
Alliance... ar	9 50	8 55	4 38		
Canton lv	10 26	9 27	5 20		
Massillon ... "	10 38	9 46	5 40		
Wooster .. "	11 18	10 26	6 31		
Mansfield ... "	12 26	11 29	7 53		
Crestline ar	12 58	11 59	8 25		
Crestline lv	12 55	12 05	PM	†6 20	*1 45
Robinson ... "				6 32	1 57
Bucyrus..... "	1 16	12 25		6 45	2 08
Nevada ..... "				7 03	2 21
U Sandusky "	1 41	12 50		7 18	2 36
Kirby ..... "				7 47	2 45
Forest ..... "		1 10		8 00	2 52
Dunkirk .... "				8 15	3 05
Washingt'n "				8 32	3 18
Ada ..... "		1 34		8 54	3 39
Lafayette ... "				9 06	3 52
Lima..... "	2 58	2 00		9 20	4 04
Elida ..... "				9 36	4 19
Delphos..... "	3 14	2 24		9 50	4 31
Middlepoint "				10 03	4 21
Van Wert... "	3 34	2 44		10 17	4 53
Convoy ..... "				10 33	5 07
Dixon ..... "				10 43	†4 55
Monroeville "				10 51	5 03
Maples ..... "				11 01	*5 13
Adams ..... "				11 09	
Ft. Wayne ar	4 25	3 35		11 20	5 30
Warsaw..... "	5 31	4 46		1 03	6 51
Plymouth... "	6 06	5 20		1 55	7 33
Valparaiso .. "	7 24	6 30		3 10	8 34
Chicago ar	9 00	9 00		4 55	9 55
	PM	AM		PM	PM

Eastward.	20	6	4	6	38
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Valparaiso "	9 15	4 32	1 35	4 01	7 21
Plymouth .. "	10 38	5 45	2 58	5 00	8 48
Warsaw .. "	11 30	6 26	3 56	5 39	9 26
Ft. Wayne "	1 10	7 45	5 40	7 00	10 45
Adams ..... "	†1 22	.....	.....	.....	PM
Maples ..... "	1 31a	.....	†6 00	.....	
Monroeville "	1 42	8 13	6 12	.....	
Dixon ..... "	1 50a	.....	†6 20	.....	
Convoy ..... "	2 01a	.....	6 31	.....	
Van Wert.. "	2 18	8 43	6 46	.....	
Middlepoint "	2 33	.....	7 01	.....	
Delphos ..... "	2 45	9 06	7 13	.....	
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Lafayette ... "	3 35	.....	8 05	.....	
Ada ..... "	3 48	10 00	8 18	8 54	
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Forest ..... "	4 18	10 26	8 51	.....	
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The Democracy of Lima and Allen county are preparing for a monster afternoon and evening meeting in this city next week, at which time the following talented speakers will address the people:

Hon. J. M. Sovereign, grand master workman K. of L.

Mrs. Helen M. Gougar, the talented advocate of bimetallism.

Judge Wm. T. Mooney, judge of common pleas court.

Judge Caleb H. Norris, judge of the circuit court.

Hon. George A. Marshall, member of congress from this district.

An effort is being made to secure the silver tongued Towne for a speech on the same date, and it is hoped that the effort may be successful.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

W. L. Lowe was in Toledo to-day.

Milt Kibbler, of Toledy, is in Lima to-day.

T. A. Robinson and wife are in Toledo.

H. M. Moore went to Toledo this morning.

Will Halter returned from Fremont this morning.

Walter Gray spent the day in Wapakoneta.

B. C. Faurot went to Bellefontaine this morning.

H. A. Holdridge went to Wapakoneta this morning.

Howard Pears, of the Lima Business College, went to Ottawa this morning.

Melville D. Shaw, Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. J. Robert Finnell left this morning for a week's visit in Redkey and Hartford, Ind.

Miss Clyde, who has been visiting Miss Bryan, of west North street, left to-day for a visit in Columbus.

Miss Helen Hall, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. H. Woods, returned to her home in Kenton this morning.

Mrs. W. T. Clements and Miss Alice Wollett have returned after a short but pleasant visit with friends in Sidney.

Mrs. T. J. Mullen and two daughters, of south West street, have returned, after a visit of two weeks in Chicago.

Ed Kerr and family, of south West street, have returned home after a very delightful visit with friends and relatives in Chesterville, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Bergman, on their return from Rawson, where they had been called by the death of his brother-in law, Wm. Hoffman, were the guests last night of Ham W. Marshall and family, of south Pine street They left this morning for their home in Indianapolis.

BROKE HIS ARM.

Louis Kreiling Injured at His Oil Well Last Evening.

Last evening while doing some work about the derrick at his oil well Louis Kreiling had his right arm fractured at the elbow. The fracture was the result of a heavy piece of iron falling from the walking beam and striking the member. Dr. Mumaugh reduced the fracture.

WAS SNAKEY.

An Ex-Circus Performer Locked Up for Safe Keeping.

About 11.30 o'clock last night patrolman Harry O'Brien found at Main and Wayne streets a stranger who was under the influence of liquor and on the verge of delirium tremens. At the police station the man gave his name as Elias Murphy and stated that he was formerly a circus performer. He stated that he had taken the Keely cure but had commenced drinking again and hoped that he would die before morning. Lieut. Wingate did what he could to cheer the man and when released from the city prison this morning he was still alive and considerably improved.

Doctors Steiner

have removed their office to 133 north Elizabeth street, opposite postoffice.
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Plenty

of good fish and oysters at Kissel's.

ON A CURVE

Two C., H. & D. Trains Collide Near Greencastle.

NO ONE FATALLY INJURED.

The Escape of Engineer Mathers Was Miraculous—A Lima Lady Painfully Injured—The Two Engines Almost Total Wrecks.

South-bound C., H. & D. passenger train yesterday afternoon collided with freight train No. 91, at the Narrows, near Greencastle, a small station between Dayton and Miamisburg. It was a head-end collision, and the two trains were both running very rapidly and came together with a powerful crash. The passenger train consisted of two coaches, a smoker, a mail and a baggage car, and was drawn by engine 104. The train was in the charge of engineer William Mathers, of Cincinnati, and conductor Michael Shea, of Toledo The freight was a heavy one and was being pulled by engine 301. John M. Myers, of Cincinnati, was the engineer, and Al Forsha, of Dayton, the conductor. The freight was running on a time order and was to pass the passenger at Greencastle. The passenger, however, was over half an hour late and did not wait at the station to pass the freight, but drew out of the station and was running rapidly to make up as much time as possible before reaching Cincinnati. South of Newcastle at a place called "the narrows" the track makes a turn, and the road at this point passes through a forest. It was at this point the trains met as they were pushing along at a rapid rate As both trains began to make the turn the engineers were horrified to see an approaching train. The engines were reversed and the air applied, but the distance between the trains was too short to avert a collision. With the exception of Mathers the engineers and firemen leaped to escape death. The next moment the engines struck, leaped into the air and fell side by side into the ditch on the north side of the track The baggage car was telescoped by the tender of the passenger engine. It was split in two and one side fell to the right side of the track and the other to the left. The passenger coaches remained on the track, but were badly shattered. The seats were almost all torn from their fastenings and the glass in the windows were broken. The excitement among the passengers was intense. The momentum of the heavy freight pushed the train forward and eight freight cars were piled up in a confused mass beside the disabled engines. All the firemen and engineers except Mathers escaped injury. He fell beneath his engine and into the protecting space caused by the inclined position of the locomotive at the ditch.

It was nearly an hour before he was extricated from his perilous position. While the engineer thus lay pinioned the boiling water that escaped from the locomotive poured upon the section of a car that lay alongside, and was thus drained away, else it would have rained upon and boiled the engineer to death.

His right arm was broken, and he received cuts and bruises about the face and head. He was removed to his home in Cincinnati.

Most all of the passengers were more or less bruised by being thrown from their seats. Mrs. E A. Guy, of Lima, was on the train and was painfully injured. She was thrown almost the entire length of the car she was in and struck with her face upon the iron end of a broken seat. Her nose was broken and at first it was feared that she was internally injured, but an examination afterwards revealed no such injuries. She was brought back to Lima last evening and taken to her home on west Market street.

George Easton, a traveling man from Cincinnati, was hurled through a window of the car and thrown over forty feet high in the air and received internal injuries.

Express messenger Marion Kistler, of this city, was badly bruised, but escaped serious injury. He returned home this morning at 1:17 o'clock.

The C, H. & D. trains were transferred around over the Big Four.

CLOAK OPENING.

Mr. L. H. Hall will give a Cloak Opening at our store to-morrow afternoon. High grade garments for misses and girls. Special orders taken.
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All Chevaliers, Canton Orion No. 24, are requested to report in full dress uniform Thursday evening, Oct 21, at 7:30. Candidates to be mustered into the service. A full attendance is desired.

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In the Debate Before the Lima Philosophical Society.

GOLD ARGUMENTS REFUTED

By Messrs. Eastman and Becker—Messrs. Lamison and Sprague Defend the Gold Standard—An Interesting Debate Before a Large Audience.

The lower court room at the court house last evening was filled with a cultured and educated class of citizens who were there to hear the money question debated by four members of the society. It was one of the most interesting meetings the society has held this season, and as a result of the debate the rights of silver remain undisputed. Many persons whose judgment on important questions is ruled by logical argument were convinced that silver should be restored to its constitutional place as redemption money. The gold speakers assumed strong positions and attempted to fortify themselves behind heavy walls, but the well informed silver speakers fired continuous shots of well aimed arguments until the advocates of the yellow metal were driven from their forts and completely routed. Messrs. Lamison and Sprague were the speakers for the gold standard and Messrs Eastman and Becker defended the silver side. Mr. Becker had intended, until late in the afternoon, to speak at a political meeting at another place last evening, but was prevailed upon to assist in the debate before the Philosophical society, and accordingly consented although he had no time to previously prepare his address. But the silver advocates are men who study the money question and are thoroughly conversant with the unlawful and unjust methods which have been pursued by the money kings in their effort to demonetize silver, and are prepared to defend the issue at any time.

Mr. Sprague delivered a well written discourse, but the audience could not understand how he could attempt to make his hearers believe that the government could not legislate value and that the greenbacks during the war were never legal tender and never passed at par. The audience laughed at this statement, for they knew that the first issue of greenbacks did pass always at par and never depreciated one cent, but that the following issue, which congress had by legislation made good for all debts except duties on imports and interest on the public debt—an act passed through the influence of Wall street and Lombard street to enrich themselves at the expense of the government—had depreciated. Mr. Sprague talked of the greenbacks depreciating to 35 and 40 cents, but did not explain what made the paper worth that much if it was not legislation, for the cost of issuing each note was not five cents.

Mr. Lamison occupied much of his time reading from the same green book which he used in last year's debate in the opera house He has again had a change of heart and denounced the Republican platform of last year, declaring it a fraud, and asserted that there was not one promise in it that was ever intended to be fulfilled.

Mr. Becker followed Mr. Lamison and completely annihilated every argument set forth by the gold advocates and carried the audience by his logical arguments.

Mr. Eastman made a forcible and logical argument for the money that has been deprived of its lawful right Every statement he made was maintained by facts and arguments

Time and again the audience cheered the speakers, but it was evident that the white metal had won the most friends and had carried off the honors of the evening.

It had previously been announced that after the four speakers had talked that the meeting would be open to any speaker. Mr. Joseph White, who is a silver man from principle and not from policy, was called for, but Mr. Lamison asked for an injunction against Mr White speaking, on the ground that he was not a member of the society.

A BEAUTIFUL STECK

Fresh From the Factory, Captures at First Sight.

Porter & Son sold to Dr. Johnson, the popular physician of Harrod, one of the finest Steck pianos ever brought to the city. Mr. Johnson and wife have devoted considerable time to investigating the merits of the different makes. A number of instruments were placed in their home and tested, but none of them stood a ghost of a show before the matchless Steck. The piano is fresh from the factory and Mr. and Mrs Johnson being musicians, when they saw and heard it were captured at first sight.

Have you heard the beautiful new two step, the "Lima Club," which was recently composed by Mrs. Nell Stanley Gates and published by Porter & Son? It is a splendid thing and is proving a great favorite in the local musical world. 1t

JOYOUS BELLS

Rang Out for Two Pretty Weddings Last Night.

OSMAN - LANGE NUPTIALS

Occur at the Home of Herman Lange—Mr. and Mrs. Osman Leave for Detroit—H. B. Hover Weds Miss Flora Fisher, of Wapakoneta.

Last evening, at the pleasant home of Herman K. Lange, on north Union street, Mr. James Osman and Miss Nora H. Lange, two popular young people, were united in marriage, the ceremony which joined these happy lives being witnessed only by the immediate relatives and a few friends of the bride and groom.

Promptly at 8:30 o'clock, while the guests formed a semi-circle amid an array of sweet scented flowers and modestly drooping palms in the front parlor, the bride and groom, attended by the bride's sister, little Miss Bertha Lange, and Helen Gore, who wore fairy-like pink and white costumes, advanced to their selected corner while the soft strains of a pretty wedding march from Lohengrin lent harmony of sound to that of the enchanting scene presented, Mrs. W. A. Freese presiding at the piano. The pretty ceremony of the wedding ring was pronounced by Rev. Carl Ackermann. The bride appeared very charming in a handsome traveling gown of cadet blue serge and the groom wore the conventional black.

The usual hearty congratulations followed the ceremony and then the bride and groom led the guests into the dining room, where an elaborate wedding supper of six courses was served by Misses Geraldine Neff and Harriet Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Osman were the recipients of many wedding presents of beauty and value. Mr. Osman is a popular and efficient engineer on the C, H. & D. and has hosts of friends. His bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lange and is popular among a large circle of friends. The bride and groom left over the C., H. & D. at 1:17 o'clock this morning for Toledo and Detroit. They will return at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

FISHER-HOVER WEDDING.

Another pretty wedding occurred last evening at Wapakoneta, where, at 8.30 o'clock, Howard B. Hover, the prominent young druggist, of this city, and Miss Flora Fisher, a popular and talented young lady of Wapakoneta, were wedded at the home of the bride's parents. The wedding was a quiet but very pretty affair, and it was witnessed only by a few immediate friends and relatives. An elaborate wedding supper followed and at a late hour the bride and groom were driven to this city and to the home Mr Hover had placed in readiness at 118 south Baxter street. Here they had been preceded by a party of Mr. Hover's friends, members of the Mohican Club, and the place was well decorated with signs that bore amusing inscriptions. The Mohicans never fail to have plenty of amusements whenever one of their members become a benedict, as C. P. Oliver and Theo. Feirst can testify from experience.

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A KISS

Cost a Well-Known Man Six Hundred Dollars.

A VERY CLEVER INDIVIDUAL

Visits Lima, Spends Money, Makes Presents, Borrows Money on a Worthless Stone as Security—Who He Was No One Knows.

Lima seems to be a fruitful field for fakirs to reap rich harvests. The facts concerning the last game worked successfully has just become public, despite the efforts of the persons who were "worked" to keep affair quiet. As a result of this man's presence in this city one person keenly feels the loss of $600 and as a memento of the fellow's acquaintance he has a large paste diamond that is scarcely worth the room it occupies in the safe that holds it. Several weeks ago a "gentleman," well dressed and clever in conversation, came into the city and passed as a congenial spirit He frequently displayed some brilliants and valuable diamonds, and had an abundance of money which he lavishly spent with his friends He was a jolly good fellow and succeeded in becoming very intimate in his association with the "men about town." From causes known to himself he became in want of money, and approached a well known gentleman for a loan of $600 and as surety offered a large brilliant diamond. It looked valuable, but to make himself sure the stone was taken to a jeweler, who pronounced it genuine and said the gem was worth $1,800. The security being good, the $600 was paid over. The owner of the stone said he felt sorry to part with it and asked to give the same a parting kiss, remarking that times were hard and he feared he would not be able to redeem it. The request was granted and as the gem touched his lips it was exchanged for a "paste" which very closely resembled the genuine. The stranger at once left the city.

About two weeks after the loan was made, no word having been received, the stone was taken from the safe and again carried to the same jeweler that had examined it at first. The jeweler as soon as his eyes were fixed upon the object declared it a piece of glass and was worthless. With a flash the gentleman possessing the same realized that he had been defrauded placed the glass into his pocket and departed a wiser man but a loser by $600. He has friends, who were told of it, and gradually they told other friends until the matter became generally known. Who the individual was that visited the city or where he is now is not known, but the fact is the "glass" diamond is held as a security for a loan of $600.

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Democratic Club Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Allen County Democratic Club Friday night, Oct 22, at 7:30 o'clock, at assembly room. U M. Shappell and others will address the club. All are cordially invited to be present. Let everybody come and hear the issues of the day fully and fairly discussed

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